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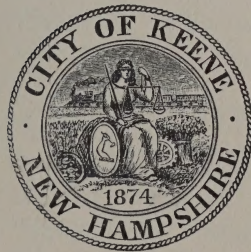
## ORDINANCES AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCILS,

WITH

REPORTS OF THE SEVERAL DEPARTMENTS,

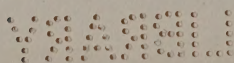
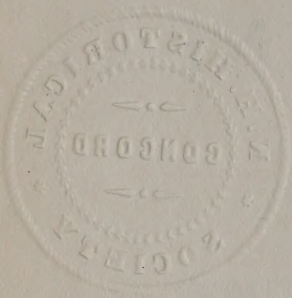
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# ORGANIZATION OF CITY GOVERNMENT.

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TUESDAY, January 7, 1890.

The members elect of the City Government for the municipal year of 1890, having met for organization agreeably to the provisions of the City Charter, the oath of office by law prescribed was administered to the Mayor-elect, Hon. HERBERT B. VIALI, by J. P. Wellman. After roll call by the City Clerk, His Honor Mayor Viall administered the oath of office to the following members elect of the Boards of Aldermen and Council, to wit:

## BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

- Ward 1. OSCAR J. HOWARD.
- Ward 2. EUGENE W. GREENWOOD.
- Ward 3. FRANK G. DORT.
- Ward 4. FREDERIC A. FAULKNER.
- Ward 5. GARRETT J. LANDERS.

## BOARD OF COMMON COUNCIL.

- Ward 1. JAMES B. KELLOGG.  
FRED H. WILSON.  
HERBERT A. DAVIS.
- Ward 2. LIBERTY W. FOSKETT.  
C. WILLIS MORSE.  
LOUIS M. RICHARDS.
- Ward 3. STEPHEN W. WILLIAMS.  
ELBRIDGE A. SHAW.  
HERBERT W. KEYES.

- Ward 4. FRANK W. NIMS.  
FRANK H. WHITCOMB.  
GALE C. SHEDD.
- Ward 5. CHARLES P. PITCHER.  
JAMES M. GOWDEY.  
GEORGE W. ZIMMERMAN.

Prayer was offered by Rev. L. B. Baldwin, after which the Mayor delivered his inaugural address.

After the prayer and inaugural address, Jerry P. Wellman was elected City Clerk, and Albert G. Henshaw, City Messenger, and then adjourned until 7.30 o'clock.

At 7.30 p. m., the Common Council organized by the choice of Frank H. Whitcomb as President and James E. Parmenter, Clerk.



## THE MAYOR'S ADDRESS.

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*Gentlemen of the City Councils :*

This January morning assembles us together for the purpose of qualifying as officers and assuming the duties of the several offices to which we have been chosen ; and in accepting these trusts, let us give thanks unto God for his merciful kindness and protection in the past that we may be better prepared for a continuation of his future blessings to us and our people.

While we should do all in our power to promote the growth and prosperity of our city, we are not responsible for the existing Prohibitory laws, which if spasmodically and injudiciously enforced are detrimental to our most important business interests without accomplishing the intended reformation, and from which we are suffering to a great extent, it is only owing to the fact that we are blessed with many natural resources and facilities which alone enable us to prosper under these conditions.

Your duties will necessarily be both executive and legislative, and in the consideration of the many important and perplexing questions upon which you will be required to decide, you will undoubtedly in some instances find it necessary to use a judicious negative. The little "No" is one of the hardest yet one of the most necessary words to acquire the use of in a public capacity and should not be used until after a careful consideration of the subject-matter involved in your committee work,

but when found necessary to sustain your honest convictions you will be fully justified in using it.

We, gentlemen of the City Councils, are intrusted in a general way with the care and protection of the city's interests, and in all matters pertaining to its material prosperity we should adopt a liberal and progressive policy economically administered. We are brought in contact with the most important rights and interests of the people of the city, and it remains for us to prove to what extent the confidence reposed in us by our fellow citizens shall be vindicated by our official acts.

#### FINANCES.

This is an important matter for consideration, as upon our financial standing largely depends our success. Although the reports show only a small balance in the treasury at this time and less than was anticipated one year ago, yet the conditions of the finances are quite satisfactory when we take into account the heavy expenditures of the past year for ordinary city charges, highways and water works. The bonded indebtedness has been reduced \$19,700, with \$2,000 overdue bonds outstanding which have not been presented for payment. If we should deduct the water loan sinking fund from this, it would leave a bonded indebtedness of \$305,011, as against \$315,044, last year.

I would recommend a continuance of the sinking fund policy until such time as the fund is adequate to the liquidation of the maturing bonds without materially increasing the tax rate. On the first day of July next, \$11,300 of the old water bonds become due. Of this amount \$10,000 should be paid from the treasury and the balance be taken from the sinking fund. The committee on finance for the past year, recommend the raising of \$35,000 by taxation, with the usual appropriations



for general expenses amounting in all to \$62,445. Although this is a small increase over the preceeding year, yet it is as small as can consistently be made, taking into account the fact that the cash assets of the city have been reduced some \$15,000 during the past year, and provisions should be made for the necessary expenditures of the ensuing year, some of which I shall speak of more in detail later on.

#### WATER WORKS AND SEWERS.

In connection with the water works we are confronted with many important matters for consideration, and with the assistance and advice of the Superintendent and Water Commissioners, we should endeavor to make such changes and carry out such plans for perfecting the system, as is for the people's interest. A proper analysis of the water from Sylvan Lake dispels somewhat the exaggerated reports in relation to its unhealthy condition, and while it is not as pure as the water from Echo Lake, or even what we could desire, it is equal and superior to that used in many cities, and no worse than it has been at times during the period which it has been in use by the city.

Many of our people have been led to believe that we have an abundant supply for all from Echo Lake, but a careful measurement demonstrates the fact, that although the pipe from Echo Lake is taxed to its full capacity, it furnishes less than two-thirds of the water consumed, and in the event of Sylvan Lake supply being discontinued, we should have no pressure for fire purposes, and many residents in the upper portion of the city could not even obtain water for domestic use. This might be remedied somewhat by a restriction of its use, which in my opinion could better be accomplished under my recommendations of one year ago which reads as follows :

“On account of the different appliances in use by the water consumers there does not seem to be that equality of rates which would be desirable. I would therefore recommend that some time during the year a revision or re-classification be made; this of course would necessitate a thorough inspection and in the end be of mutual benefit to the city and consumers.”

Under the circumstances I would recommend that the principal part of the contemplated expenditure for the year, outside of the general repairs and necessary extensions, should be used in replacing with larger pipe a portion of the Echo Lake main, and should you think proper to relay during the year that portion necessary for doubling the present capacity, it may incur an expense of such magnitude as to require a temporary loan or some other provision for furnishing the required funds to carry on such construction.

On account of the extreme high water the past season it was decided to be impracticable to make the needed repairs on the dam at Echo Lake reservoir, and the appropriation made for that purpose is unexpended. These repairs should be completed during the coming summer, so as to avoid any possibility of a break in the water supply from this source.

The sewers are working satisfactorily and the system seems admirably adapted to our locality. It will be necessary to make some extensions and I would particularly call your attention to an early consideration of a petition referred to this city government by our predecessors for a sewer extension through Appian Way to Winchester street, and a careful consideration of all matters relating to any other sewer extensions.

#### STREET LIGHTS.

This luxury has become a necessity to the extent that we are compelled to have them even if they come high. The



present system seems to be eminently satisfactory to the people, and I believe the tax-payers are better satisfied to pay a fair price for a good thing rather than a low price for something inferior. The present contract for electric lights expires on the first of July next, and a renewal of the same should be made on equitable terms, or some provision made for providing suitable lights on a fair basis to the city. This matter should be considered as early in the season as practicable on account of making the proper appropriations.

#### STREETS AND DRAINS.

In this department a larger sum of money than usual has been expended in the past year, amounting to a little over \$18,000. Of this amount nearly \$4,000 has been expended for drains, gutters and stone culvert, \$1,000 for grading of concrete walks, and \$2,000 for stone paving, which really reduces the expenditure on roadways to about \$11,000. The committee on finance recommend the raising of \$14,000 for this department, which will be a small amount if the work is prosecuted to that extent which is desired by many of our citizens. I sometimes think if some of our people, who are inclined to severe criticism in this department, could have visited other towns and cities during the past season and compared their muddy streets with ours, they would the better realize the amount of thought, time and care which has been devoted by the members of the city government during the past year to this department and the obligations they should be under to them. The work done on Main street is all that could be expected of it, considering the material used, and clearly shows that a system of macadamizing should be adopted for our principal thoroughfares; but it would be much

cheaper in the end to establish a rock crushing plant for furnishing the proper material of uniform sizes than to separate the river gravel for this purpose.

A portion, at least, of Church and Roxbury streets should receive attention, and on Court street which is acknowledged to be the worst of all; surface drain tile should be laid, the gutters paved so as to keep the sand from washing into the drains, the road bed brought to the established grade and put in a permanent condition.

I would also recommend that you take under consideration some plan for paving Central Square, and Main street from the Square to the railroad. It would not be advisable to do the whole in a single year, but some portion of it should be done each year until the whole was completed. In this way the proper grade could be maintained without the expense of carting sand and gravel into the Square one year and removing it from the surface sewers the next. This project may seem somewhat expensive to you, but in my judgment, would be economy in the end.

The subject of surface drainage in connection with the streets should receive more attention. We have constructed many drains from one part of the city to another without providing sufficient outlets to take off the water as rapidly as would be desirable in a heavy rain or from the rapid melting of the snow in the spring. In this respect I would recommend that the portion at least of these drains which constitute the principal outlets, should be placed under the direct supervision of the Superintendent of Water Works and Sewers, and that he should be directed to make the proper surveys for straightening and grading Beaver brook from the Ashuelot river to Beaver street, and also the outlet from the river south of Butler Court, northerly across Winchester and Emerald streets to the railroad.



## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

This department is now in a healthy and prosperous condition and with an addition of the requisite number of men for properly operating the second steamer recently contracted for by the city, we shall soon be in a situation to guard against extended conflagrations and a better protection to our business blocks and manufacturing industries. Something should be done as soon as is consistent with the state of the finances, in providing additional accommodations for the department, and I still adhere to my former recommendation of arranging quarters for all, in proximity to the present Steamer house and stables, believing that the expense of maintaining the department would be much less under this arrangement than in any other way.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The organization under our present system seems to be quite satisfactory and I desire to add a word of praise to the efficiency of all the members of the police force whenever they have been detailed for duty. At the same time I would recommend that the department be so conducted that a more strict enforcement of the Statute laws and city ordinances can be had; that the offenders may be more generally taken before the proper tribunals as an example and warning to those who are inclined to breaches of the peace and that by so doing the number of arrests may be greatly diminished. To carry out this plan more satisfactorily, I would recommend that an additional night police be placed upon the force at an expense not exceeding \$640.00 per annum. This would not increase the present expense of the department more than \$400.00 or \$500.00, as under the present arrangement a large amount of extra service is required each year.

## IN CONCLUSION.

Gentlemen, I have only called your attention to the principal departments of municipal service. Other departments of the city will require your attention ; notably, the health department, the poor, cemeteries, public parks and public library. In looking forward to the labor before us, I anticipate a busy year ; but when I recognize as members of this city government so many of my former able and efficient associates, and among the new, so many intelligent members, upon whose council and good judgment I can rely for assistance, I am encouraged to believe that our association will be productive of mutual respect, in all matters upon which we are called to act, not forgetting that we are transacting the business for the people and that it should be as carefully guarded as our own private interests. With these facts in view I ask your hearty co-operation for the desired result.

# KEENE CITY GOVERNMENT.

1890.

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MAYOR.

HERBERT B. VIALI.

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City Clerk, J. P. WELLMAN.

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## ALDERMEN.

- Ward 1. Oscar J. Howard.
  - Ward 2. Eugene W. Greenwood.
  - Ward 3. Frank G. Dort.
  - Ward 4. Frederic A. Faulkner.
  - Ward 5. Garrett J. Landers.
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## COMMON COUNCILMEN.

- Ward 1. James B. Kellogg, Fred H. Wilson, Herbert A. Davis.
- Ward 2. Liberty W. Foskett, C. Willis Morse, Louis M. Richards.
- Ward 3. Stephen W. Williams, Elbridge A. Shaw, Herbert W. Keyes.
- Ward 4. Frank W. Nims, Frank H. Whitcomb, President; Gale C. Shedd.



Ward 5. Charles P. Pitcher, James M. Gowdey, George W. Zimmerman.  
James E. Parmenter, Clerk.

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### JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

*Finance.*—The Mayor, Alderman Faulkner, Councilmen Morse and Richards.

*Schools.*—Alderman Dort, Councilmen Keyes and Williams.

*Lands and Buildings.*—Alderman Landers, Councilmen Williams and Zimmerman.

*Bridges.*—Alderman Greenwood, Councilmen Foscett and Shaw.

*Streets and Drains.*—Alderman Greenwood, Councilmen Pitcher and Nims.

*Burying Grounds.*—Alderman Greenwood, Councilmen Kellogg and Davis.

*Fire Department.*—Alderman Howard, Councilmen Nims and Gowdey.

*Lamps and Lamp Posts.*—Alderman Dort, Councilmen Kellogg and Pitcher.

*Water Works and Sewers.*—Alderman Faulkner, Councilmen Morse and Foscett.

*Printing.*—Alderman Howard, Councilmen Shedd and Davis.

*Engrossed Bills.*—Alderman Landers, Councilmen Wilson and Shaw.

*Claims and Accounts.*—Alderman Landers, Councilmen Keyes and Shedd.

*Public Library.*—Alderman Dort, Councilmen Morse and Richards.

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### STANDING COMMITTEES.

#### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

*Bills on their Second Reading.*—Aldermen Greenwood, Faulkner and Landers.

*Licenses.*—Aldermen Faulkner, Howard and Dort.

*Simmons Fund.*—Aldermen Dort, Howard and Landers.

*Police.*—Aldermen Landers, Faulkner and Greenwood.

*Claims.*—Full Board.

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COMMON COUNCIL.

*Bills on their Second Reading.*—Councilmen Pitcher, Davis and Zimmerman.

*Elections and Returns.*—Councilmen Wilson, Gowdey and Nims.

*City Hall.*—The Mayor, Councilmen Richards, City Messenger Henshaw.

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CITY AUDITOR.

Charles H. Hersey.

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CITY SOLICITOR.

Don H. Woodward.

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CITY TREASURER.

Royal H. Porter.

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COLLECTOR.

Asa Smith.

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CITY MESSENGER.

Albert G. Henshaw.

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CITY MARSHAL.

Edwin R. Locke.

## CITY OF KEENE.

## CONSTABLE.

E. R. Locke.

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## POLICE JUSTICE.

L. W. Holmes.

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## CITY PHYSICIAN.

William E. Maloney.

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## SEXTON.

Norris G. Gurnsey.

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## OVERSEER OF POOR.

Philander Howland and Francis O. Nims.

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## SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERIES.

N. G. Gurnsey.

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## SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS.

Elmer A. Nims.

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## SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER WORKS AND SEWERS.

Paul F. Babbidge.

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## WATER COMMISSIONERS.

Norris G. Gurnsey.

George W. Fisher.

Edwin S. Foster.



PARK COMMISSIONER.

George A. Wheelock.

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LIBRARIAN.

Mrs. Lizzie M. Converse.

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ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN.

Miss Mary F. Sheldon.

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TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Rev. L. B. Baldwin.

Miss Mary B. Dinsmoor.

Charles H. Hersey.

Miss Kate L. Tilden.

Wm. P. Chamberlain.

Mrs. Maria R. Osborne.

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HEALTH COMMISSIONERS.

A. B. Thurston.

H. K. Faulkner.

Don H. Woodward.

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ASSESSORS.

Daniel R. Cole.

Daniel A. Brown.

Luther P. Alden.

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SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Jerry P. Wellman.

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CHIEF ENGINEER OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Henry H. Haines.

## ASSISTANT ENGINEERS.

Joseph G. Griffith.

Oscar P. Applin.

Reuben Ray.

Gardner T. Howe.

## SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM.

George M. Rossman.

## POLICE OFFICERS.

A. W. Hunnewell.

Charles Wright.

Eugene B. Chapman.

Columbus A. Mason.

William H. Reyoun.

Abner F. Sprague.

Henry H. Haines.

Eugene M. Keyes.

William S. Tuttle.

Thomas W. Blakey.

Reuben Ray.

Henry M. Darling.

Ralph J. Holt.

W. R. Scripture.

Samuel O. Gates.

J. S. Richardson.

F. A. Harrington.

Frank Harmon.

Amasa Plastridge.

W. H. Buckminster.

Charles H. Spofford.

Milan K. Burt.

Albert G. Henshaw.

Wyman Lawrence.

Fred H. Wilson.

John King.

George D. Wheelock.

Charles A. Chapin.

Frank W. Nims.

James H. Smith.

## SURVEYORS OF WOOD.

C. K. Pemberton.

S. S. Quinn.

M. A. Stowell.

G. H. Follansbee.

C. A. Mason.

M. Reardon.

Z. K. Graves.

Eugene R. Seaver.

H. C. Fairbanks.

S. H. Holman.

J. A. Whelpley.

Frank E. Joy.

Abbott Wright.

James H. Smith.

H. L. Goodnow.

L. P. Alden.

F. H. Fay.

W. H. Reyoun.

F. L. Pitcher.

## SURVEYORS OF LUMBER.

C. K. Pemberton.	J. Wilson.
M. A. Stowell.	D. C. Thompson.
C. A. Mason.	John W. Nye.
S. H. Holman.	Henry N. Stone.
O. H. Fay.	F. H. Fay.
Abbott Wright.	H. L. Goodnow.
W. H. Reyoun.	F. L. Pitcher.

## WEIGHERS.

F. E. Foster.	H. A. Woodward.
L. W. Hammond.	Henry Giffin.
Eugene R. Seaver.	Luther P. Alden.
George E. Fuller.	J. M. Farnum.
N. G. Gurnsey.	F. L. Pitcher.

## FENCE VIEWERS.

Daniel A. Brown.	Albert Wright.
Asa Fairbanks.	

## WARD OFFICERS.

## MODERATORS.

Ward 1. Joseph B. Abbott.	Ward 3. Albert W. Metcalf.
Ward 2. Warren B. Fitch.	Ward 4. Geo. H. Tilden.
Ward 5. Daniel D. Kepple.	

## CLERKS.

Ward 1. Ainsworth M. Nims.	Ward 3. Don I. Petts.
Ward 2. Walter W. Glazier.	Ward 4. Fred E. Howe.
Ward 5. Simeon E. Cameron.	



## SELECTMEN.

- Ward 1. George W. Harris, Christopher J. George, Adolph W. Presler.  
Ward 2. George A. Nims, Frank A. Rugg, Reuben Ray.  
Ward 3. Dennis Foley, Jr., John E. Heald, Hezekiah O. Stratton.  
Ward 4. Daniel E. Hathorn, Frank H. Weeks, Wallace L. Mason.  
Ward 5. John Madden, James H. Smith, James Hartnett.

## SUPERVISORS.

- Ward 1. Henry H. Beckwith.      Ward 3. Martin A. Stowell.  
Ward 2. Henry W. Nims.      Ward 4. Daniel A. Brown.  
Ward 5. Ezra P. Hardy.

# ORDINANCES AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

*Passed by the City Councils in 1890.*

## CITY OF KEENE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT  
HUNDRED AND NINETY.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to annual appropriations.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That in accordance with the recommendations of the Committee on Finance, the following sums be and hereby are appropriated for the various departments, viz :

Ordinary city charges,	\$7,000 00
City paupers,	3,500 00
Dependent soldiers or their families,	500 00
Highways and bridges,	14,000 00
Concrete sidewalks,	2,000 00
Fire Department,	3,000 00
Police,	2,000 00
Electric lights,	3,400 00
Gas and gasoline lights,	1,300 00
Public library,	500 00
Support of public library,	500 00
Memorial services,	150 00
Interest on M. & K. R. R. gratuity bonds,	6,400 00
Interest on sewer loan,	2,800 00
Interest on new water loan bonds,	1,295 00

Payment of water bonds,	\$10,000 00
New sewers,	500 00
Public parks,	100 00
New steamer,	3,500 00
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	\$62,445 00

And that the sum of \$35,000.00 be raised by taxation and the balance be paid from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed Jan. 7, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to regular meetings.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the City Councils meet on the first and third Wednesday of each month at 7.30 o'clock, p. m., for general business.

Passed Jan. 7, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to pay-rolls.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That until further action the time of the workmen employed in the Highway, and Water Works and Sewer Departments, be made up in the form of pay-rolls, and approved by the Superintendent of each Department. Said pay-rolls having been properly audited, the City Clerk is hereby instructed to draw upon the City Treasurer for the full amount of said pay-rolls, and disburse the same to the workmen named therein, they having receipted for the same.

Passed Feb. 5, 1890.



A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to exemption from taxation of the Triumph Wringer Co.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

Whereas the Triumph Wringer Co. on erecting a new building for carrying on their business and have petitioned for an exemption from taxation upon the same.

Resolved that the said building and machinery shall be exempt from taxation for a sum not exceeding \$5,000 for a term of five years from April 1st, 1890.

Passed Feb. 5, 1890.

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AN ORDINANCE in amendment of Sec. 2, Chap. 31, of City Ordinances.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That Sec. 2 of Chap. 31, City Ordinances, be amended by striking out the word "five" in the second line thereof and inserting in the place thereof the word "seven," so that said section when amended shall read as follows : "Sec. 2. The City Clerk shall receive for his services, and all duties connected with his office, the sum of seven hundred dollars per year, to be paid in equal monthly payments, and all fees appertaining to said office."

This amendment to take effect on its passage.

Passed Feb. 19, 1890.

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AN ORDINANCE in amendment of Sec. 6, Chap. 31, of City Ordinances.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That Sec. 6, of Chap. 31, City Ordinances, be amended by striking out the word "five" in the third line thereof and inserting in the place thereof the word "eight," so that said

section when amended shall read as follows: "Sec. 6. The Superintendent of Highways shall receive in full for his services, and all the duties appertaining to his office, the sum of eight hundred dollars per year, and fifty dollars per year for use of driving horse and carriage while in the discharge of his duties as Superintendent of Highways; provided, that no horse or carriage owned by or employed for the city shall be used for this purpose; to be paid in equal quarterly payments."

This amendment shall take effect on and after its passage.

Passed Feb. 19, 1890.

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AN ORDINANCE in amendment of Sec. 2, Chap. 23, City Ordinances.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That Sec. 2, Chap. 23, of City Ordinances, be amended by striking out the words "New England Observer" in the fifth line and inserting in the place thereof the words "The Daily Tribune," so that said section when amended shall read as follows: "Sec. 2. All City Ordinances, and such Joint Resolutions as in the opinion of the Mayor the public good requires, shall be published in one issue of the New Hampshire Sentinel, Cheshire Republican and The Daily Tribune, and the Clerk shall furnish copies therefor. In the annual city reports shall be published all Ordinances and Joint Resolutions passed during the year."

Passed Mar. 19, 1890.

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AN ORDINANCE relating to the pay of Stewards.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the salary of the Steward of the Deluge Hose Co. and the Washington Hook and Ladder Co. be twenty dollars per year, and that the Stewards shall not have any further compensation for any extra labor.

This Ordinance to take effect April 1st, 1890, and the Ordinance relating to the pay of Stewards passed June 1st, 1885, is hereby repealed.

Passed Mar. 19, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION making an additional appropriation for Memorial Day.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That, whereas the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars is not sufficient to meet the expenses incurred in the observance of Memorial Day, the additional sum of twenty-five dollars be and hereby is appropriated for said purpose to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed Mar. 19, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION in relation to relaying of water mains.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the Joint Standing Committee on Water Works and Sewers be authorized to purchase iron pipe and other material necessary for reconstructing the mains as recommended by them in their accompanying report of March 19, and that the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars is hereby appropriated for that purpose.

Passed Mar. 19, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION in relation to water meters.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the Water and Sewer Commissioners be authorized to purchase a suitable number of water meters of such sizes



and make as are considered by them best, and that the sum of eight hundred (\$800) dollars is hereby appropriated for that purpose.

Passed Mar. 19, 1890.

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AN ORDINANCE repealing certain City Ordinances.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That Chap. 19, and Sec. 25 of Chap. 31, City Ordinances, are hereby repealed.

Passed Apr. 2, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION appropriating money for the payment of uniforms for the Steamer and Hose Co.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

Whereas, the sum of eighty (\$80) dollars has been allowed the other organizations of the Keene Fire Department, in addition to the one hundred and fifty (\$150) dollars heretofore allowed for uniforms, and it has become necessary to furnish five new uniforms on account of increasing said Company ; therefore

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred fifteen dollars and fifty cents (\$115.50), be paid to the treasurer of said Company upon his receipting for it, the same to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, and the uniforms bought therewith to be the property of the City.

Passed Apr. 2, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to salaries of members of the Board of Education.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the sum of twenty dollars be paid to each member of the Board of Education of Union School District for services for the year ending Mar. 1, 1890, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed Apr. 2, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to salary of School Board.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the compensation of the members of the School Board for services during the year ending March 6, 1890, be fixed at twenty dollars each to the members of the Board who have served a full year, and that said sum of twenty dollars be paid to each of the following named persons: Joseph Chase, George K. Wright and Calvin W. Farwell.

Passed Apr. 2, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION appropriating money for the purchase of school books and supplies.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars be appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise expended, for the purpose of paying for school books and supplies.

Passed Apr. 16, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the approval of bills for material for relaying water mains.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the Joint Standing Committee on Water Works and Sewers be and hereby are authorized to approve all bills for material for the reconstruction of water mains, authorized by Joint Resolution passed March 19, 1890.

Passed May 7, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION making an additional appropriation to pay for snow rollers.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That, whereas there is a difference of opinion in regard to the amount of money which should be paid to George W. Russell for the two snow rollers which he built for the city last December, and justice seems to demand that more than the demand of the appropriation made at the time be paid him ; therefore

Resolved, That an additional appropriation be, and hereby is made, of fifty-five (\$55) dollars which shall be paid to the said Russell with the amount already appropriated on his receipting the bill for the two rollers in full of all claims.

Passed May 7, 1890.

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#### PROPOSITION OF HENRY O. COOLIDGE.

I, Henry O. Coolidge, of Keene in the County of Cheshire and State of New Hampshire, hereby make the following proposition to the City of Keene :—

I will purchase the Perry place, so called, of the Rev. William O. White, upon the terms agreed upon between said White and myself, and pay him for said premises the sum of fifteen thousand and five hundred dollars, and convey said real estate to said city by good and sufficient deed, to be by said city forever owned, held and used for the purpose of erecting and maintaining a Public Library building thereon and for utilizing so much thereof as is not used for library purposes

for a Public Park, and for no other purpose whatever. Said city to take possession of said property immediately and take and enjoy the rents and income therefrom till such reasonable time as the same shall be devoted to the uses aforesaid, provided said city will pay to me during my life and to my wife, Emily B. Coolidge, during such time as she shall survive me, four per cent. per annum upon said sum of fifteen thousand and five hundred dollars, payable semi-annually on the first day of July and January of each year during the time aforesaid.

I will also pay to said city the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars in money, to be by said city invested and the income therefrom used as the officers of said city may direct, until such time as it may be properly used to defray a portion of the expense of constructing a library building upon the premises aforesaid, for the purchase of books for said library, or for purchasing furniture for said library building when constructed, the same to be used for no other purpose whatever, upon condition that said city will pay me during my life and to my wife, Emily B. Coolidge, during such time as she shall survive me, four per cent. per annum upon said sum of four thousand five hundred dollars, payable semi-annually on the first day of July and January of each year during said term. All of the payments aforesaid to be made free of taxes.

HENRY O. COOLIDGE.

Keene, N. H., May 7, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION in relation to grounds for a Public Library building and Public Park.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That said city accept from Henry O. Coolidge his deed of the "Perry place" so called, (to be purchased by him of Rev. William O. White for the sum of fifteen thousand five hundred dollars) conveying said property to the city for the purpose of erecting and maintaining a Public Library building



thereon and for the purpose of a Public Park and for no other purpose whatever.

That said city also accept from said Coolidge the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars, to be invested and eventually used by said city for the purpose of defraying a portion of the expense of constructing said library building, for the purchase of books for said library or for furnishing said building when constructed, and for no other purpose whatever.

And in consideration of said conveyance and the payment of said four thousand five hundred dollars, said city hereby agrees to pay to said Coolidge during his life, and to his wife, Emily B. Coolidge, during such time as she shall survive him, four per cent. per annum upon said sums of \$15,500 and \$4,500, payable on the first day of July and January, agreeably to the terms and conditions of the proposition in writing of even date herewith made by said Coolidge to said city.

And that the Mayor and City Treasurer are hereby authorized, empowered and instructed to execute and deliver to said Henry O. Coolidge, upon receipt of said deed and the payment of said money, the written obligation of the City of Keene to pay to him during his life, and to said Emily B. Coolidge during such time as she shall survive him, the sum of eight hundred dollars per annum, free from taxes, payable semi-annually on the first day of July and January each year.

Passed May 7, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION of thanks to Henry O. Coolidge.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That, whereas we are deeply impressed by the generosity and public spirit which have prompted our fellow-citizen, Henry O. Coolidge, to secure for all time to the people of Keene commodious and beautiful grounds for the erection of a Public Library building and a Public Park, and a munificent

sum of money to be used for the development of this project, thus furnishing means for the intellectual improvement and pleasure of the inhabitants.

Resolved, That the City Councils hereby express to Henry O. Coolidge the gratitude of the citizens of Keene for his benevolent and timely act.

Passed May 7, 1890.

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#### A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to electric lights.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the Joint Standing Committee on Lamps and Lamp Posts be and hereby are authorized to make a contract with the Keene Gas Light Co. to light the streets with electric lights, of a rated two thousand candle power each, for two years from the first day of July next, at a price not to exceed one hundred dollars per year for each light, all to be lighted at dark every night and burn until 11.30 o'clock p. m.

Passed May 7, 1890.

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#### COMMUNICATION FROM MRS. MINERVA P. GATES.

*To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Keene :*

The undersigned, widow of Rufus Gates late of Keene, desires to deposit with the City of Keene the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) the same to be kept as a permanent fund, by said City of Keene as trustee, the interest of which or so much of it as may be necessary, to be appropriated annually, to keeping in repair and good condition the lot in Woodland Cemetery known as the Rufus Gates lot, and in which the remains of said Rufus Gates are interred ; also to keep in good repair and cleanly condition the monument erected on said lot and the gravel walks around it. The balance of annual interest on said fund, if any, not needed for the above purposes

may be used for such repairs and improvements in Woodland Cemetery as the city may direct.

On advice that this trust is accepted by the City of Keene, the sum of one hundred dollars will be deposited in the City Treasury or in such other manner as may be desired.

MRS. MINERVA P. GATES.

Keene, April 10, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the donation of Mrs. Minerva P. Gates.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the donation of one hundred dollars offered by Mrs. Minerva P. Gates be accepted upon the conditions stated in the offer, provided, however, that the same shall be first invested by her, and the investment placed with the City Treasurer.

Passed May 7, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION in relation to extension of sewers.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the Commissioners of Water Works and Sewers be authorized and instructed to construct a sewer or extension on Appian Way and Madison Court, with necessary flush tanks and connections, in accordance with recommendations of the Joint Standing Committee on Water Works and Sewers herewith submitted, and that the sum of six hundred (\$600) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the purpose of purchasing the necessary material and paying for the necessary labor thereon.

Passed May 7, 1890.

A JOINT RESOLUTION in relation to damage by water.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That, whereas, by the bursting of the water main on West street, the firm of Geo. E. Holbrook & Co. has been damaged to the amount of \$243.33 ; the firm of Spencer & Co. to the amount of \$259.52 ; and the firm of E. Gustine & Son to the amount of \$29.30.

Resolved that the sum of \$532.15 be paid in the proportion mentioned above, in settlement of these claims, from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed May 7, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a reward for the capture of the person or persons who destroyed or defaced the stones or monuments in Greenlawn and Woodland Cemeteries.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the City of Keene offer, and does hereby offer, a reward of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars, to be paid to such person or persons as shall cause to be arrested and convicted, the person or persons who desecrated, defaced and destroyed the stones and monuments in Greenlawn and Woodland Cemeteries on May 10 or 11, 1890, said sum to be paid immediately after conviction of such person or persons.

Passed May 12, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION amending a Joint Resolution passed at last regular meeting.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the Joint Resolution relating to electric lights, passed May 7, 1890, be and is hereby is amended, by striking out the



word two before the word years, and inserting in the place thereof the word three.

Passed May 21, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to macadamizing.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That a special committee, consisting of His Honor the Mayor, the Joint Standing Committee on Streets and Drains and Engineer Samuel Wadsworth, is hereby appointed and authorized and instructed to investigate the question of purchasing a stone crusher, and the necessary equipment to put in operation the macadamizing system in our city, as requested by petition of Edward Joslin and others. Also to ascertain where and upon what terms suitable stone for this process may be best obtained. Such expenses as said committee may incur shall be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed May 21, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to adjournment.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That when this body adjourn it be to meet on Wednesday evening, June 25 next, at eight o'clock.

Passed June 4, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION in relation to the annuity for Henry O. Coolidge.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the sum of five hundred and four and forty-four one hundredths (\$504.44) dollars be and hereby is appropriated

out of any money in the treasury not set apart for other purposes, to provide for the annuity to Henry O. Coolidge, for the current year.

Passed June 4, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION in relation to electric lights.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the Joint Resolution, passed May 7 last, and amended May 21, be further amended by adding after 11.30 o'clock p. m., except upon such nights as the night police officer thinks the moon gives sufficient light, when they may be shut off, by his order, at 10 o'clock p. m.

Passed June 4, 1890.

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#### COMMUNICATION FROM CAROLINE H. INGERSOLL.

*To the Mayor and City Councils of Keene :*

Gentlemen:—I desire to make a present disposition of what I had intended to leave as a bequest to the City of Keene.

I have in my possession many family relics, most of them from one hundred to one hundred and fifty years old; some about sixty and some two hundred years; consisting of pictures, furniture, military papers, commissions, autographs, silver, jewelry, coins, books, wearing apparel, curiosities, etc., etc.

On the condition that the City of Keene, will, in its new library building, when it shall be built, devote a small room to the holding of, and give proper care and protection to, by the keeping under lock and key, in cases that I will provide for the purpose, all the smaller relics and curiosities, and will give the same care and protection to pictures to be hung upon the walls, and to furniture to be placed against the walls of said room, then will I give all the articles mentioned in a list too long to be given in this paper, to the City of Keene, to have and to hold forever, as a nucleus of ever increasing interest

for a museum, hoping that other persons will do the same, and thus establish here in Keene a varied museum of general interest.

Many of these articles were exhibited at the May Festival in the city hall, in the centennial year 1889, and an account of them can be found in the issues of the New Hampshire Sentinel, and the Keene Observer, of the second week of May of that year.

If the City of Keene is not ready to agree to this condition, which is imperative, then all these articles will be scattered and given to different institutions and individuals; but as I am the last of my race, and have become strongly attached to Keene during a long residence here, and while it has been the residence of my parents and brother, as well as for a short time the residence of my grandparents Ingersoll, to whom many of these articles belonged, I have thought it proper to offer to make this disposition of my family relics, asking that the room holding them should be called "the Ingersoll Room," that the name of my revered father should not be forgotten in a place where he and his family have lived, and in the prosperity of which they have all been deeply interested.

If the City of Keene will accept this gift upon the foregoing conditions, and will provide, as soon as possible, a place for the reception of these relics, I will, at my earliest capacity, provide suitable cases for the holding of all small articles, and will upon my decease, leave a sum, the annual interest of which shall be ample for the care of said relics in the future. Some of these articles are considered rare and valuable by several art museums, they are certainly curious, and the time is coming when they will be valuable and interesting, and in this youthful country they are certainly old.

The decision of the City Government is what I now desire and await, for, if not accepted, the collection will be as I have already stated, scattered among different institutions and individuals.

Respectfully submitted,

CAROLINE H. INGERSOLL.

June 25, 1890.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to gift of Caroline H. Ingersoll.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That said city will accept the gift offered by Caroline H. Ingersoll, in her communication in writing, dated June 25, 1890, and hereby agrees to perform and observe the conditions of said gift contained in said writing.

Passed June 25, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION in relation to adjournment.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That when this body adjourns it be to meet on Wednesday, September 3, 1890, at 7.30 p. m., unless otherwise ordered by His Honor the Mayor.

Passed June 25, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to school money.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the money by law assessed in the City of Keene, for the support of schools, for the present year, amounting to \$12,579, the Literary fund of \$970.97, the unexpended balance of the dog tax of \$406, and the balance of the Hibbard fund of \$21.35, amounting in all to \$13,977.32, be apportioned among the school districts as follows, viz : \$75.00 be assigned to each of the twenty-two schools in Union District, amounting to \$1,650 ; and \$75.00 to each of the eleven schools in City District, amounting to \$825 ; and the remainder, \$11,502.32, be apportioned pro rata among the 1207 scholars in Union School District, and the 179 scholars in the City School District, making the whole amount apportioned to Union School



District, \$11,666.81, and the total amount to the City School District, \$2,310.51.

Passed June 25, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION in relation to macadamizing.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the Joint Standing Committee on Streets and Drains, including the special committee on macadamizing, be and are hereby authorized to purchase at their discretion, a stone crusher and suitable machinery for establishing a macadamizing plant, and if found necessary, purchase land for that purpose, and that the sum of \$3,000 be and is hereby appropriated for that purpose.

Passed June 25, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION in relation to an additional appropriation for the purchase of school books and supplies.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That in accordance with the recommendation of the Joint Standing Committee on Schools, an additional appropriation be and hereby is made, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, of two hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Passed June 25, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to additional appropriation for work at Wheelock Park.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That two hundred dollars be appropriated from the city treasury, to be added to the Wheelock Park fund, and that the Committee on Lands and Buildings, together with the Park Commissioner, be authorized to erect a suitable building on said park for the protection and comfort of its patrons, the cost of said building not to exceed the sum of five hundred dollars.

Passed June 25, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to lease.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized to lease to the State of New Hampshire, a certain tract of land and water rights, according to the terms specified in the annexed lease.

Passed August 29, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to bequest of Miss Mary P. Whitney.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the bequest of Miss Mary P. Whitney of one hundred dollars be accepted upon the conditions named in connection therewith, as stated in the accompanying notice from the executor of said Mary P. Whitney's will.

Provided, however, that the said sum shall be invested in one of the savings banks in this city, and the book placed with the City Treasurer.

Passed Sept. 17, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION in relation to sewer and water extension on Terrace street.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the Commissioners of Water Works and Sewers be authorized and instructed to construct a sewer and extend the water main on Terrace street, in accordance with the recommendations of the Joint Standing Committee on Water Works and Sewers, herewith submitted; and that the sum of five hundred dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the purpose of purchasing the necessary material and paying for the necessary labor thereon.

Passed Sept. 17, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to the pay of firemen.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the City Clerk be and hereby is instructed to draw upon the City Treasurer for the full amount of the pay-rolls of the different Fire Companies, due Oct. 1 next, agreeable to Chapter 7, City Ordinances, said pay-rolls having been made out and subscribed by the firemen of each company and the Chief Engineer, and properly corrected by the quarterly reports, and audited by the City Auditor, and disburse the same among the different members of the Fire Department whose names appear on the said rolls, they having receipted for the same.

Passed Sept. 17, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to expenses of annual Inspection of the Fire Department.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows:

That the sum of sixty (\$60.00) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the expenses of the annual inspection of the Fire Department, from any money the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed October 1, 1890.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to additional appropriations.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That in addition to the sums heretofore appropriated, the following be and hereby are appropriated for the following purposes, viz :

For highways and bridges,	\$2,500 00
For electric lights,	550 00
For gas and gasoline lights,	250 00

Passed Oct. 15, 1890.

A JOINT RESOLUTION in favor of Keene Granite Terra Cotta and Tile Company.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That, whereas, John A. Wright, Thomas W. Blakey, Fred E. Howe and others, propose to purchase land, erect buildings thereon, and engage therein in the manufacture of articles made of "granite terra cotta," so-called, in said Keene, under the name of Keene Granite Terra Cotta and Tile Co.; now, therefore

Resolved, That said establishment when erected and put in operation, including so much of the land as is used for carrying on said business, the buildings erected thereon for such purpose, and the capital used in operating the same, be and hereby are exempt from taxation for such time as the same is used for said purpose not exceeding ten years from date.

Keene, N. H., Oct. 15, 1890.

Passed Oct. 15, 1890.

A JOINT RESOLUTION in relation to Legacy of John Symonds.



Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That the Mayor be authorized to execute and deliver in the name of the city to the executors under the will of John Symonds, proper receipts for such property as said executors shall turn over to the city, in accordance with the terms of said will.

Passed Nov. 19, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to additional appropriations.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That in additions to the sums heretofore appropriated, the following sums be and hereby are appropriated for the following purposes, viz :

Ordinary City Expenses,	\$1,400 00
Highway Department,	1,500 00
Relaying of Water Mains,	3,500 00
Purchase of Crusher,	2,000 00

Passed Nov. 19, 1890.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to additional appropriation for the purchase of school books and supplies.

Resolved by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

That in accordance with the recommendation of the Joint Standing Committee on Schools, an additional appropriation be and hereby is made out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, of two thousand dollars for the purchase of school books and supplies.

Passed Nov. 19, 1890.

AN ORDINANCE in amendment of Section 2, Chapter 23,  
City Ordinances.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene,  
as follows :

That Sec. 2, Chap. 23, of City Ordinances, be amended by striking out the words "The Daily Tribune," in the fifth line and inserting in place thereof the words "Keene Evening Sentinel" and "Observer," so that said section when amended shall read as follows: "Sec. 2. All City Ordinances, and such Joint Resolutions as in the opinion of the Mayor the the public good requires, shall be published in one issue of the New Hampshire Sentinel, Cheshire Republican, Keene Evening Sentinel, and Observer, and the Clerk shall furnish copies therefor. In the Annual City Reports shall be published all Ordinances and Joint Resolutions passed during the year."

Passed Dec. 17, 1890.

# ANNUAL REPORTS.

## REPORT OF THE CITY TREASURER.

*To the Honorable Mayor and City Councils :*

I herewith submit my report as City Treasurer for the year ending December 9, 1890.

### RECEIPTS.

S. O. Gates, taxes, 1887, 1888,	\$275 58
A. Smith, taxes, 1889,	21,901 69
A. Smith, taxes, 1890,	65,300 00
A. Smith, water rates,	13,832 50
J. P. Wellman, concrete walks,	754 70
J. P. Wellman, rents,	1,539 05
J. P. Wellman, town of Marlboro',	4 00
J. P. Wellman, city vs. Darling,	41 61
J. P. Wellman, billiard license,	109 99
J. P. Wellman, circus license,	53 00
J. P. Wellman, Public Library,	57 45
J. P. Wellman, rent reservoir,	140 00
J. P. Wellman, use Steamer, Swanzey Factory,	15 00
J. P. Wellman, James Marsh estate,	54 75
A. Smith, drain,	35 68
R. H. Porter, Ministerial Fund,	220 98
R. H. Porter, Simmons, and Eastburn Funds,	134 89
R. H. Porter, Hubbard Fund,	60 00

R. H. Porter, Faulkner Fund,	\$125 00
R. H. Porter, Russell Fund,	15 18
R. H. Porter, Gates Fund,	1 67
P. Howland, town Hinsdale,	49 30
S. O. Gates, dog tax, 1888,	136 00
A. Smith, dog tax, 1890,	270 00
P. Howland, Grafton County,	39 05
H. O. Coolidge, gift,	4,500 00
A. H. Grimes, sale of liquors,	126 28
R. H. Porter, deposit from Sinking Fund,	1,300 00
State Treasurer, 1889 Insurance Tax,	412 50
State Treasurer, 1889 Railroad Tax,	6,698 16
State Treasurer, 1889 Savings Bank Tax,	22,641 25
State Treasurer, 1889 Library Tax,	970 97
A. Smith, concrete,	65 95
State Treasurer, 1890 Insurance Tax,	420 00
State Treasurer, 1890 Railroad Tax,	6,895 24
State Treasurer, 1890 Savings Bank Tax,	24,986 56
State Treasurer, 1890 Literary Tax,	1,194 12
E. A. Nims, city pasture,	120 00
E. A. Nims, material and labor,	51 30
A. G. Henshaw, rent City Hall,	1,058 50
E. O. Keith, rent City Hall,	171 00
Frank O. Nims, county paupers,	5,423 68
Frank O. Nims, soldiers' aid,	1,109 36
Frank O. Nims, town Hinsdale,	9 44
Frank O. Nims, Dr. Prouty,	2 70
Frank O. Nims, N. G. Gurnsey,	10
Frank O. Nims, G. O. Harvey,	66 33
Frank O. Nims, Fisher & Stratton,	10 00
L. W. Holmes, police court fines,	486 00
P. F. Babbidge, sewer,	295 00
P. F. Babbidge, water works,	163 98
Account overdrawn in Cheshire National Bank,	4,974 37

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\$189,319 86



## EXPENDITURES.

Account overdrawn Dec. 6, 1889,	\$8,418 77
City orders,	113,469 41
Water bond, due January 1889,	1,000 00
Water bonds, due July 1890,	11,000 00
Interest, old water bonds,	4,084 50
Interest, railroad, sewer and new water bonds,	10,495 00
Interest, overdraft Cheshire National Bank,	412 18
State tax, 1889,	17,970 00
State tax, 1890,	17,970 00
Gift of H. O. Coolidge, deposited in Savings Bank,	4,500 00
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	\$189,319 86

R. H. PORTER, Treasurer.

## REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

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The Joint Standing Committee on Finance respectfully lay before the City Councils the following statement of all receipts and expenditures from December 1, 1889, to December 1, 1890, together with a schedule of property, real and personal, belonging to the city, and the value thereof, and the amount of the city debt.

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### EXPENDITURES.

#### ORDINARY CITY CHARGES.

Balance appropriation from 1889,	\$395 01
Appropriation 1890,	8,400 00
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	\$8,795 01
Paid H. B. Viall, salary as Mayor,	\$462 50
Charles H. Hersey, salary as Auditor,	100 00
Don H. Woodward, salary as City Solicitor,	50 00
J. P. Wellman, salary as City Clerk,	658 33
James E. Parmenter, salary as Clerk of Council,	50 00
N. G. Gurnsey, salary as Superintendent of Cemeteries,	75 00
N. G. Gurnsey, extra services as Superintendent of Cemeteries,	50 00
L. Ward Holmes, salary as Police Justice,	100 00

## Paid A. H. Grimes, salary as City Liquor

Agent,		\$100 00
Asa Smith, salary as City Collector,		550 00
R. H. Porter, salary as Treasurer,		50 00
E. O. Keith, salary as Messenger,		100 00
A. G. Henshaw, salary as Messenger,		300 00
Daniel R. Cole, salary as Assessor,		140 00
Daniel A. Brown, salary as Assessor,		140 00
Luther P. Alden, salary as Assessor,		140 00
F. A. Barker, salary as Assistant As-		
essor,		54 00
M. L. Landers, salary as Ward Clerk,		7 00
A. M. Nims,	"	7 00
J. J. Colony,	"	7 00
W. C. Hall,	"	7 00
W. W. Glazier,	"	7 00
James H. Smith,	Selectman,	5 00
G. W. Harris,	"	5 00
James Hartnett,	"	5 00
John Madden,	"	5 00
Geo. A. Nims,	"	5 00
Frank Rugg,	"	5 00
Chas. H. Clark,	"	5 00
Wm. J. Sewall,	"	5 00
A. B. Thurston,	"	5 00
Gale C. Shedd,	"	5 00
D. C. Hathorn,	"	5 00
Frank H. Weeks,	"	5 00
Chas. W. Castle,	"	5 00
M. H. Johnson,	"	5 00
D. H. Dickinson,	"	5 00
Dan. A. Brown,	Supervisor,	7 50
Ezra P. Hardy,	"	15 00
H. H. Beckwith,	"	7 50
Henry W. Nims,	"	7 50
M. A. Stowell,	"	15 00
Chas. G. Farrar,	Moderator,	2 00

Paid J. B. Abbott, salary as Moderator,	\$2 00
Ira J. Prouty,       "               "	2 00
Z. K. Graves,       "               "	2 00
D. D. Kepple,       "               "	2 00
Joseph Chase, salary as member of School Board,	20 00
Calvin W. Farwell, salary as member of School Board,	20 00
Geo. K. Wright, salary as member of School Board,	20 00
Chas. H. Hersey, salary as member of Board of Education,	20 00
Henry S. Martin, salary as member of Board of Education,	16 67
Joseph B. Abbott, salary as member of Board of Education,	20 00
J. B. Hyland, salary as member of Board of Education,	20 00
W. H. Spalter, salary as member of Board of Education,	20 00
G. C. Hill, salary as member of Board of Education,	20 00
S. M. Dinsmoor, salary as member of Board of Education,	20 00
J. W. Sturtevant, salary as member of Board of Education,	20 00
C. E. Harrington, salary as member of Board of Education,	20 00
Don H. Woodward, salary as Health Commissioner,	20 00
H. K. Faulkner, salary as Health Commissioner.	20 00
A. B. Thurston, salary as Health Commissioner,	20 00
E. O. Keith, cleaning offices and hall,	9 50
A. G. Henshaw, cleaning offices and hall,	16 70

Paid J. P. Wellman, copying taxes, reporting births and deaths, stamped envelopes and expenditures,	\$114 80
Samuel Wadsworth, surveying,	2 95
Arthur Dean, care of ward room,	4 00
Chas. E. Keith, paint and labor,	1 82
Impervious Package Co., fire buckets,	6 75
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., use of instrument,	36 00
P. F. Babbidge,	1 00
A. W. Hunnewell, witness fees,	10 78
A. F. Sprague,	2 31
H. W. Hubbard, repairs at City Hall,	19 07
Asa Smith, postage, etc.,	16 99
Henry Griffin, coal for City Hall,	242 00
F. G. Dort & Co., paper,	25
N. E. Observer, advertising,	11 23
Laton Martin, use of teams,	17 50
J. D. Dunbar, use of teams,	1 50
Mrs. J. H. Wellington, land damage,	100 00
Mrs. M. H. Beckley, land damage,	150 00
A. B. & S. W. Skinner, rubber stamp, duster, etc.,	6 00
Daniel A. Brown, use of horse for Assessors,	6 80
A. H. Grimes, matches, oil, etc.,	6 10
E. B. Chapman, witness fees,	4 62
Gustine & Co., tumblers,	38
G. H. Aldrich & Co., insurance,	31 25
D. K. Healey, insurance,	62 50
Wellington & Perry, insurance,	31 25
Goodnow & Sawyer, insurance,	85 00
W. L. Mason, insurance,	12 50
W. E. Wyman, witness fees,	1 54
E. S. Foster, Agent, repairs at Steamer House,	364 59
G. H. Tilden & Co., binding, reports, etc.,	231 47



Paid George H. Hart, damages on highway,	\$22 00
Luke E. Joslin, damages on highway,	700 00
W. M. Tenney, damages on highway,	75 00
J. W. Buckminster, use of teams,	19 50
Almon Craig, burying dog,	50
Woodbury & Howard, mattresses for lockup,	12 00
Davis, Wright & Co., repairs at City Hall,	80 44
L. W. Adams, repairs at barn,	6 50
O. H. Holbrook, work at City Hall,	19 50
J. W. Cummings, " "	80 50
G. Fred Little, " "	25 50
W. G. Peck, " "	8 50
Second Congregational Society, land damage,	1 00
H. K. Faulkner, bills ordered paid by Boards of Health,	94 72
L. Ward Holmes, Justice fees,	36 00
Don H. Woodward, fees and legal services,	193 14
Keene Gas Light Co., gas lights for hall and offices,	303 75
Sentinel Printing Co., printing and advertising,	661 30
Physicians, for reporting births and deaths,	56 50
E. R. Locke, witness and commitment fees,	198 93
W. H. Spalter, books, etc.,	64 36
Eagle Hotel, ward room,	5 00
Darling & Co., printing,	2 50
City Ice Co., ice for officers,	3 25
Martha Wheeler, land damage,	107 50
Sumner Wheeler, land damage,	107 50
Nims, Whitney & Co., lumber,	85

Paid Patrick Toughey, burying dog,	\$0 50
C. C. Buffum, recording deeds,	2 98
Mrs. Mary B. Corey, rent of land,	8 00
Daily Tribune, advertising,	11 50
Batchelder & Faulkner, retaining fee,	50 00
Keene Water Works,	38 00
Batchelder & Faulkner, services suits	
Warren and Jillson,	63 00
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	54 08
J. C. Joslin, work on City Hall,	3 00
J. G. Warren, award of Court and	
costs,	175 30
Reuben Ray, repairs and iron work,	15 48
Christian Presler, stone window sill,	1 75
Henry Purcell, labor and material	
City Hall,	7 50
S. W. Williams, repairs and material	
City Hall,	8 94
Hosea Foster, examining records,	3 00
Mary Ryan, washing blankets,	2 75
W. E. Wright, repairing key and	
lock,	50
Fisher & Stratton, lettering signs,	4 50
L. W. Bissell, witness fees,	77
Charles H. Hersey, complaints and	
warrants,	4 50
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	\$8,540 44
Balance,	\$255 02

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To Highway Department, work done on	
Perry Place,	\$24 50
Balance to new account,	<hr/>
	\$230 52

## CITY PAUPERS.

Balance appropriation 1889,	\$24 88
Appropriation 1890,	3,500 00
From James Marsh estate,	54 75
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	\$3,579 63
Paid F. O. Nims, rent, Mrs. Amadon,	\$104 00
Mrs. J. O. Amadon, support of self and family,	240 00
J. A. Craig, M. D., attendance on Esty,	19 95
G. H. Tilden & Co., books,	2 00
Laton Martin, use of teams,	23 50
P. Howland, salary, office rent, etc.,	120 54
Katharine Reardon, support of self,	44 00
Amos Bancroft, provisions,	14 25
Samuel O. Gates, one-half of board of Obed Dort,	130 00
J. B. Fisher, boots and shoes,	4 75
State Industrial School, care of Mack- ey,	78 00
J. B. Hyland, salary and examining White,	30 00
N. H. Asylum for Insane, care of Pierce, Townsend, Doyle and White,	744 54
Sidney C. Ellis, wood for Marsh,	5 00
G. E. Holbrook & Co., groceries,	28 00
P. Howland, Eagle Hotel bill for paupers,	3 50
F. D. Griswold, provisions,	2 50
F. E. Keyes, groceries,	20 27
Kendall & Lane, coffin for Townsend,	20 00
Henry O. Esty, care of James Esty,	119 62
J. P. Wellman, taking affidavits,	6 00
Sylvester Spaulding, boots and shoes,	7 15
J. F. & F. H. Whitcomb, clothing,	9 00

Paid J. B. Abbott, taking affidavits,	\$15 00
Cheshire County, board of White,	
Greenway and Ballou,	136 37
C. W. Wyman, provisions,	6 00
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	1 05
Boston Branch Grocery, groceries,	20 00
Samuel Priest, cutting wood,	3 00
Wm. E. Maloney, M. D., salary,	75 00
F. O. Nims, salary and office rent,	150 61
A. H. Grimes, groceries,	20 00
Dennis Callahan, milk,	16 38
H. O. Spaulding, digging grave,	
Marsh,	3 00
Humphrey Machine Co., rent Rear-	
don,	11 25
Chas. H. Bridgman, groceries,	20 00
Chas. Batchelder, wood for paupers in	
1888,	6 50
J. R. Beal & Co., clothing,	14 00
J. C. Joslin, use of shed,	25 00
F. O. Nims, expenses and office rent,	8 95
M. V. B. Clark, groceries,	10 00
F. H. Wright & Co., boots and shoes,	1 25
W. F. Harris, boots and shoes,	4 30
Mrs. Andrew Clark, nursing at O'Con-	
nors',	20 00
Chas. Beauregard, drawing wood,	2 50
Mrs. Thomas Cummings, nursing at	
O'Connors,	20 00
Patrick O'Connor, sawing wood,	63
Mrs. Norman Denio, support of self	
and family,	11 00
Chase & Richards, clothing,	5 50
Mrs. Mary Mangan, nursing at O'-	
Connors',	20 00
Nichols & Howard, groceries,	10 00
Cheshire County, wood,	9 38

Paid Mrs. F. L. Wood, care of Mrs. Denio,	\$8 58
J. W. Buckminster, use of team,	1 50
F. O. Nims, expenses getting Mrs.	
Doyle to County Farm,	8 53
C. M. Cummings, boots and shoes,	1 35
Spencer & Co., coal,	6 50
Michael O'Marra, digging graves,	6 00
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	\$2,455 70
Balance,	<hr/>
	\$1,123 93

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To Highway Department, drawing wood,	\$8 29
Carried to new account,	<hr/>
	\$1,115 64

## COUNTY PAUPERS.

Paid Aaron G. Shackley, rent Champney,	\$21 00
Mrs. A. S. Whitcomb, care of Sylvia	
Snow,	142 04
Justus Fisher, rent Mrs. Griffith,	72 00
James Greenwood, support of self and	
wife,	192 00
Mrs. J. B. Laurence, care of E. Bal-	
lou,	318 07
Thomas Madden, rent Priest,	45 50
Mrs. E. M. Russell, rent Miller and	
Hubbard, board Elmore,	59 35
Mrs. James Larvin, care of O'Connor,	78 20
Frank Gallagher, rent Foley,	21 00
Mrs. Maria B. Barron, nursing diph-	
theria patients,	34 50
P. Howland, cash paid for railway	
fare, etc.,	14 00
Mary Shortell, support of self,	44 55
N. G. Gurnsey & Sons, coal,	113 54



Paid S. L. Randall, goods,	\$14 13
Woodbury & Howard, coffins, etc.,	43 50
Patrick Hickey, rent Carpenter,	36 00
Sarah Howard, care of Mrs. A. Howard,	19 71
H. R. Beals, work for Delia Hubbard,	2 25
Geo. B. Twitchell, M. D., attendance on Stebbins and Fiske,	110 00
Laurence Monahan, support of self,	58 71
Mrs. M. J. Southwell, care of Mrs. Robinson,	77 99
Mrs. Chas. Phillips, rent Mrs. D. Coffee,	60 00
A. J. Williams, milk,	1 83
G. C. Hill, M. D., attendance on Mrs. Priest,	8 00
John Bowker, rent Southwell,	37 00
Mrs. A. Cummings, nursing Mrs. Frame,	3 00
Cheshire Railroad Co., rent Mrs. Donovan,	45 00
J. A. Craig, M. D., attendance on Esty,	11 40
Laton Martin, use of teams,	7 00
Mrs. Joseph Jolly, care of L. Miller and children,	108 14
Chas. O'Neil, care of Barry boy,	65 01
Edgar N. Harrington, board of D. Hubbard,	3 93
Hosea Foster, rent Seward,	30 00
Joseph Chase, milk,	5 46
S. E. Wyman, care of Mosher children,	86 77
Dennis Callahan, milk,	5 52
John Ellis, support of self,	71 78
Amos Bancroft, provisions,	120 65
Mary Tierney, board of Jackson and family,	9 00

Paid L. E. Mason, goods,	\$7 50
Mrs. H. S. Johnson, care of Mrs. La- Port,	3 57
Spencer & Co., coal,	3 25
J. P. Whitcomb, rent Gabourie,	10 00
Catharine B. Hastings, support of self,	40 00
Bullard & Shedd, medicine, etc.,	7 35
Mrs. C. F. Aiken, care of J. Aiken,	10 00
L. E. Cobb, meat,	4 00
Chas. S. Coburn, rent Mrs. Whit- comb,	60 00
J. B. Fisher, boots and shoes,	49 15
State Industrial School, care of Bishop and Champagne,	36 00
Nelson G. Bartlett, care of S. Smith,	51 85
E. W. Greenwood, milk,	15 69
Uriah Mosher, care of children,	142 58
F. H. Wright & Co., boots and shoes,	55 00
John Rutherford, rent Cameron,	55 00
Mrs. Fred Leach, rent and work for Ruffle,	26 02
Horace Goodnow, rent Sarah Abbott,	35 33
Geo. W. Porter, rent Mrs. Frame,	10 00
Humphrey Machine Co., rent Shortell and Murray,	31 25
G. E. Holbrook & Co., groceries,	169 07
J. F. & F. H. Whitcomb, goods,	35 30
P. H. McCushing, groceries,	214 77
Fisher & Stratton, coffins, etc.,	60 00
John S. Towne, rent W. A. Towne,	1 66
John Carrigan, cutting wood,	2 50
E. G. Randall, drawing wood,	3 75
W. J. Sawyer, care of Erford Clarke,	56 25
F. E. Keyes, groceries,	229 83
C. M. Cummings, boots and shoes,	36 55
Lillian Brooks, work for Ruffle,	3 75

Paid Ferdinand Petts, rent for Clarke,	\$78 00
J. S. Taft & Co., rent Foley,	77 20
City Hotel, board of paupers,	2 00
Chas. E. Page, care of E. Clarke,	6 00
Nettie B. Carder, work at E. Clarke's,	6 00
Ira J. Prouty, attendance on Clarke,	
Snow, Hussey, etc.,	143 75
Sylvester Spaulding, boots and shoes,	31 80
C. A. Knapp, rent Harrington,	12 00
C. W. Farwell, milk,	72
C. W. Wyman, provisions,	56 55
Wm. P. Chamberlain, goods,	22 24
Davis, Wright & Co., goods,	3 10
John Thayer, goods for Blanchard,	63
Mrs. H. D. Mason, nursing Mrs.	
Priest,	2 00
Rodney Griffith, trucking,	25
W. F. Gates, milk,	4 41
F. C. Hardy & Co., goods,	5 45
Michael O'Marra, digging graves,	4 00
Mrs. N. H. Greene, care of Tower	
child,	8 85
Laurence Monahan, cutting wood,	63
Wilber & Hall, provisions,	10
W. N. Patten, cutting wood,	50
G. H. Tilden, rent Mrs. Cummings,	10 00
Patrick O'Connor, cutting wood,	63
Boston Branch Grocery, groceries,	195 01
George Priest, cutting wood,	1 25
John Carrigan,            "	1 25
Thos. Fitzgerald,        "	63
Luther Stone,            "	1 25
Patrick Toughey,        "	63
Lewis Castor,            "	1 25
Luther Marsh,            "	63
Samuel Priest,            "	3 13
Timothy Kelleher,       "	58

Paid Patrick Donahue, rent Seward & Ab-	
bott,	\$86 00
A. H. Grimes, groceries,	183 06
F. O. Nims, railroad fare, etc.,	2 70
T. Weisman, clothing,	19 49
Faulkner & Colony Mfg. Co., rent	
Ryan and Frame,	94 50
Hiram Blake, rent Jolly and Leware,	6 08
Chas. Beauregard, wood and cutting,	40 93
W. E. Malony, M. D., attendance on	
Hussy,	8 00
John Duclos, cutting wood,	20 82
John Jolly, cutting wood,	3 43
Mrs. C. F. Packard, washing for Bell,	75
Boston Branch Shoe Store, boots and	
shoes,	14 60
Julia Meed, support of self,	28 00
Lucy Miller, nursing Laura Bell,	4 00
Frank G. Dort & Co., medicine, etc.,	11 70
Henry Giffin, coal,	1 63
Isaac Rand, rent Mrs. Frame,	10 50
Chas. H. Bridgman, groceries,	178 22
J. R. Beal & Co., clothing,	5 00
Mrs. S. A. Carpenter, support of self	
and family,	77 67
M. V. B. Clark, groceries,	96 25
Mrs. Emma Vigneau, care of E.	
Champney,	38 35
Orlando Seward, drawing wood,	75
Filinda Pratt, nursing Mrs. Priest,	9 00
Matilda McGinnis, support of self and	
family,	10 00
Mrs. H. A. Hammond, care of Mrs.	
McGinnis,	15 00
Nichols & Howard, groceries,	90 00
Carl Johnson, milk,	2 16
Gertrude Priest, work for Mrs. Priest,	3 00

Paid W. F. Harris, boots and shoes,	\$8 00
Chase & Richards, clothing,	13 80
Jesse Dart estate, rent Mrs. Cummings,	24 00
H. K. White, rent Mrs. Cummings,	7 00
Mrs. Emma Packard, support of self and family,	4 00
Mrs. Frank Holbrook, rent Mrs. Abbott,	10 00
Mrs. Henrietta Page, support of self,	12 00
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	\$5,487 31

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By charged to Grafton County,	\$39 05
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	\$5,448 26

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To Highway Department, drawing wood,	\$43 64
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	\$5,491 90

## HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation for 1890,	\$14,000 00
Additional appropriation for 1890,	2,500 00
Additional appropriation for 1890,	1,500 00
Drawing Steamer to West Swanzey,	10 00
Material sold and labor,	41 30
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	\$18,051 30
Account 1889 overdrawn.	\$562 59
Paid Anthony Gero, labor,	12 00
Robert Doyle, "	11 37
Patrick Mulvey, "	4 75
John Drury, "	75 00
E. A. Crown, "	84 00



Paid Michael Gorman, labor,	\$3 00
Dennis Carney, “	3 00
Dan. O’Keefe, “	3 37
W. H. Buckminster “	12 00
Peter Langdon, “	3 00
Michael Cornell, “	52 11
James Reason, “	62 54
E. O. Rice, “	84 00
Frank Jotlin, “	3 75
Patrick Dolan, “	3 00
Wm. Winn, “	48 37
Arthur Dean, “	84 00
D. C. King, “	4 00
Joseph Palmer, “	3 00
M. O. Spaulding, “	7 61
A. J. Williams, “	21 26
H. H. Barker, “	95 37
John Durand, “	2 00
H. M. Nims, “	31 25
C. S. Drury, “	1 50
John Lynch, “	10 50
John Reed, “	5 00
C. W. Heaton, “	8 00
E. A. Nims, “	7 00
G. W. Porter, “	12 50
Irvin Curtis, “	41 39
Thomas Grimes, “	15 75
M. E. Ellis, “	36 00
Chas. H. Wright, “	6 25
E. V. Aldrich, “	4 00
J. S. Herrick, “	6 85
C. G. Crain, “	130 25
Geo. Barrett, “	6 75
Horace Joslin, “	10 00
Sidney C. Ellis, “	4 50
Miles Davis, “	3 50
J. E. Dow, “	6 00

Paid F. O. Wright, labor,	\$1 00
Milton Parks estate, sand,	4 32
Geo. K. Wright, "	27 90
John A. Drummer, "	38 90
N. G. Gurnsey, "	32 20
N. G. Woodbury, "	11 30
H. M. Nims, sand and stone,	81 35
G. F. Cheever, sand,	23 40
H. S. Woodward, "	11 20
Chesh. Prov. Inst., "	31 30
Chas. H. Ellis, "	31 30
Robert Doyle, "	5 25
E. W. Greenwood, "	17 80
Joseph Chase, sand and railing,	17 70
Cyrelle Peruse, railing poles,	4 80
Sylvester Spaulding, boots,	2 50
Geo. D. Webb, paving,	123 89
Beaver Mills, lumber,	331 58
H. W. Hubbard, repairing tools, etc.,	40 15
J. Harlow, repairs,	5 75
J. E. Bridge, railing poles,	12 50
Albert E. Fish, filing saws,	1 65
A. B. & S. W. Skinner, powder and fuse,	39 34
A. H. Grimes, soap, matches, etc.,	9 16
Chas. Giffin, laying tanks,	16 17
Chas. Ellis, straw,	16 15
E. S. Foster, repairs at barn,	7 50
J. D. Dunbar, use of teams,	3 00
Norman Denio, repairing harnesses,	10 55
Bullard & Shedd, medicine for horses,	11 80
Davis, Wright & Co., goods,	3 30
Geo. W. Russell, repair carts, etc.,	73 42
T. A. Hastings, lumber,	245 23
Young Jones, horse shoeing,	89 90
Reuben Ray, repairing tools,	103 88
T. T. Russell, lumber,	145 51

Paid T. F. Leahy, painting carts and sign,	\$34 78
F. C. Baldwin, blankets and hay,	44 23
John Carpenter, repairing harnesses,	36 75
Chas. L. Russell, brick,	13 20
Franklin Downing, hay and straw,	22 09
Nims, Whitney & Co., lumber,	1 55
Humphrey Machine Co., castings,	67 02
Eames & Towne, grain, hay and straw,	279 41
E. A. Nims, Supt., salary and use of horse,	672 22
E. A. Nims, Supt., pay roll,	40 50
C. P. Bugbee, medicine for horses,	6 00
C. P. Pitcher, hay,	22 16
Chas. Bridgman, grain,	18 00
Henry Ellis, Agent, hay,	14 73
Knowlton & Stone, cement, drain pipe, etc.,	1,123 64
Christian Presler, sand,	26
F. G. Cheever, painting harness,	1 50
F. E. Keyes, powder,	8 30
Wilkinson & McGregor, harnesses,	34 95
S. E. Wyman, labor,	1 00
C. M. Foster, labor,	5 95
E. M. Fletcher, labor,	13 00
J. J. Kennedy, new tires, etc.,	20 00
Francis Pitcher, hay,	12 67
Wm. F. Nye, harness oil,	6 75
E. F. Lane, repairing "silent way,"	5 00
Chas. H. Bridgman, grain,	64 19
W. W. Stone, labor,	11 25
L. W. Wilder, railing poles,	22 50
Keene Manufacturing Co., plating har- ness trimmings,	3 50
G. H. Randall, labor,	67 09
Arba T. Stearns, "	6 74
D. B. Stearns, "	55 00
J. R. Russell, "	144 89

Paid Morse Bros. Mfg. Co., labor,	\$17 75
L. W. Morse,                   “	10 20
Rufus S. Graves,           “	15 00
C. N. Holman,               “	1 50
L. W. Hammond, Agent, freight,	1 66
D. W. Wilson, plow,	5 00
A. A. Ellis, lumber,	220 64
W. R. Scripture, labor,	7 00
Augustus Trask, laying tanks,	22 50
H. W. Clapp & Co., drain castings,	26 78
Simeon Gould, painting railing,	10 35
Samuel Wadsworth, surveying,	333 51
W. H. Spalter, book,	15
J. Hadlock, edge for road machine,	16 00
A. S. Blake, straw,	13 04
Boston Branch Shoe Store, boots,	2 50
E. G. White, bridge plank,	79 26
Fitchburg Railroad, freight,	15 00
Frank K. Burnham, labor on railing,	25 00
Geo. D. Webb, curbing and flagging,	328 93
Frank G. Dort, sponges, etc.,	1 45
J. P. Wellman, pay rolls,	9,963 15
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	\$17,221 92
Balance,	\$829 38
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By use of horses 16 calls to fires,	\$176 00
Work done for Water Works,	146 00
Work done on Perry place,	24 50
Drawing wood for paupers and soldiers'	
aid (County),	43 64
Drawing wood for paupers and soldiers'	
aid (City),	8 29
Unpacking and packing hydrants,	16 50
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	\$414 93
Carried to new account,	\$1,244 31

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation for 1890,	\$3,000 00
Balance from Marlboro' fire,	4 00
Received from E. Munsell, use of steamer and hose,	15 00
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	\$3,019 00

Account overdrawn last year,	\$77 15
Paid E. A. Crown, Sunday duty,	8 00
E. O. Rice, Sunday duty,	8 00
Arthur Dean, Sunday duty,	8 00
L. W. Hammond, Agent, freight,	14 15
H. W. Hubbard, repairs,	25 81
H. A. King, services as Fireman,	2 50
Warren B. Fitch, wood for steamer,	3 50
J. D. Dunbar, teams,	12 50
S. P. Bowker, teams,	24 00
E. A. Crown, care of boilers at steam- er house,	20 00
L. W. Adams, oil for steamers,	4 25
Geo. M. Rossman, salary as Superin- tendent of Fire Alarm,	100 00
L. W. Adams, Steward and Assistant Engineer,	75 00
Keene Gas Light Co., gas,	223 75
H. H. Haines, salary as Chief Engi- neer,	30 00
J. G. Griffith, salary as Assistant En- gineer,	25 00
O. P. Applin, salary as Assistant En- gineer,	25 00
G. T. Howe, salary as Assistant En- gineer,	43 75
Reuben Ray, salary as Assistant En- gineer,	25 00
Geo. E. Hirsch, Fireman of steamer,	12 50



Paid Reuben Ray, repairs,	\$24 25
F. C. Baldwin, blankets,	14 00
F. M. Davis, salary as Engineer,	60 00
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	16 75
W. W. Stone, labor,	1 25
Geo. M. Rossman, supplies for Fire Department,	190 60
E. A. Nims, pay roll,	3 00
P. F. Babbidge, use of horse,	5 00
J. W. Buckminster, teams,	66 00
Electric Gas Lighting Co., vitriol, zinc and jars,	151 29
Chas. Bridgman, kerosene,	80
Cheshire R. R., rent of land,	52 50
J. P. Wellman, express and stamps,	85
Spencer & Co., coal and cement,	17 00
Knowlton & Stone, oil,	10 70
Chas. O. Briggs, Steward of Phœnix and Fireman,	27 50
F. P. Wellington, cleansing carpet steamer house,	60
Arthur Dean, Steward Deluge house,	20 00
Wilkinson & McGregor, straps,	8 90
S. W. Williams, repairs,	5 50
Armstrong Bros., hod and shovel,	70
L. B. Seaver, cleansing pillows Steam- er house,	1 00
L. G. Burnham & Co., cannel coal,	37 60
J. R. Beal & Co., repairing uniforms,	2 50
Connecticut River R. R., freight,	30
Mrs. H. W. Cooper, rent of barn for storage,	30 00
Jerry O. Neil, services as Fireman,	10 00
Davis, Wright & Co., repairs, etc.,	20 61
S. C. Dustin, cleaning matting,	1 50
N. G. Gurnsey & Sons, coal,	27 82
G. H. Tilden & Co., book,	25

Paid Woodbury & Howard, chairs,	\$5 50
L. W. Adams, labor and material for repairs,	16 75
Chas. Beauregard, splints,	1 50
J. P. Wellman, Washington Hook and Ladder Co., pay roll,	276 25
J. P. Wellman, Deluge Hose Co., pay roll,	292 50
J. P. Wellman, Keene Steam Fire Engine and Hose Co., pay roll,	342 50
Keene Gas Light Co., work and material on fire alarm,	118 50
A. B. Skinner, lining paper,	75
T. Weisman, rubber coats,	24 00
Geo. W. Russell, pole for Deluge cart,	7 00
F. E. Keyes, oil,	72
Norman Denio, leatherng blankets,	1 00
M. V. B. Clark, refreshments for firemen,	8 08
H. A. Johnson & Co., polish,	2 00
Inman Bros., printing,	2 75
Wm. H. Hill, cleaning Phoenix house,	1 50
Keene Cash Clothing Store, mittens,	7 20
Henry Giffin, coal,	151 75
Frank G. Dort & Co., sponges, chamois skins, etc.,	6 95
J. P. Wellman, highway pay roll, (drivers),	147 47
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	\$2,991 30
Balance,	\$27 70
	DR.
To Highway Department; unpacking and packing hydrants,	\$16 50
To Highway Department, 16 calls to fires, at \$11.00,	176 00
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	\$192 50
Deficit,	<hr/> \$164 80

## POLICE.

Balance appropriation 1889,	\$341 85
Appropriation for 1890,	2,000 00
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	\$2,341 85
Paid Charles Wright, police duty,	\$5 00
E. B. Chapman,        “	128 60
A. F. Sprague,       “	2 00
A. W. Hunnewell,     “	753 70
J. S. Richardson,    “	2 00
L. M. Abbott,        “	2 00
W. H. Buckminster,   “	12 00
E. R. Locke, salary,	730 00
Wesley Wheeler, police duty,	2 00
J. W. Cummings,     “	2 00
Wyman Lawrence,     “	2 00
C. H. Spofford,      “	6 60
Milan K. Burt,       “	10 00
Reuben Ray,          “	5 00
A. G. Henshaw, police duty and cleaning station,	3 00
Keene Gas Light Co., gas,	45 50
A. H. Grimes, matches, soap, etc.,	1 19
G. H. Tilden & Co., stationery,	5 00
David Russell, use of teams,	23 00
Bullard & Shedd, medicines,	50
Davis, Wright & Co., oil can,	25
H. T. Houghton, hack hire,	3 25
S. E. Thayer, meals furnished at sta- tion,	42 78
J. W. Buckminster, use of teams,	33 00
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co., messages,	2 30
City Hotel, meals for prisoners,	4 60
Frank G. Dort & Co., medicine for prisoners,	2 90

Paid O. E. Colony, stamped envelopes,	\$10 90
Western Union Telegraph Co., mes-	
sage,	29
A. G. Grimes, hack hire,	17 75
Woodbury & Howard, mattresses for	
station,	3 50
Mary A. Ryan, cleaning station,	2 25
Knowlton & Stone, goods,	3 12
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	\$1,867 98
Balance to new account,	<hr/>
	\$473 87

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### WATER WORKS.

Amount paid for Water Works maintain-	
ance,	\$3,507 60
To work done by Highway Department,	48 00
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	\$3,555 60

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### WATER WORKS EXTENSION.

Amount paid for Water Works Extension,	\$573 97
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### ECHO LAKE AND EXTENSION.

Balance from last year's account,	\$865 94
Bills paid,	\$317 93
Balance carried to new account,	548 01
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	\$865 94

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### ISLAND STREET WATER EXTENSION.

Balance from last year's account,	\$154 53
Bills paid,	\$154 53

## BUTLER COURT WATER EXTENSION.

Balance from last year's account,	\$298 83
Bills paid,	\$2 00
Balance to new account,	296 83
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	\$298 83

## RELAYING WATER MAINS.

Appropriation,	\$10,000 00
Additional appropriation,	3,500 00
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	\$13,500 00
Bills paid,	\$13,342 35
Balance,	157 65
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	\$13,500 00

## DR.

To work done by Highway Department,	\$98 00
Carried to new account,	59 65
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	\$157 65

## TERRACE STREET WATER AND SEWER.

Appropriation,	\$500 00
Bills paid,	\$249 44
Balance carried to new account,	250 56
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	\$500 00

## SEWER MAINTENANCE.

Bills paid,	\$828 53
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## NEW SEWERS.

Balance from last year's account,	\$5 60	
Appropriation for 1890,	500 00	
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		\$505 60
Bills paid,	\$179 70	
Balance to new account,	325 90	
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		\$505 60

## APPIAN WAY SEWER.

Appropriation,		\$600 00
Bills paid,	\$249 78	
Balance to new account,	350 22	
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		\$600 00

## STREET LIGHTS.

## GAS AND GASOLINE.

Balance from 1889,	\$57 77	
Appropriation for 1890,	1,300 00	
Additional appropriation,	250 00	
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		\$1,607 77

Paid Globe Gas Light Co., gasoline lights		
and glass,	\$824 59	
Keene Gas Light Co., gas, street lights,	627 41	
Davis, Wright & Co., repairing lanterns,	10 90	
Cheshire R. R., freight,	57	
J. P. Wellman, express on glass,	45	
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		\$1,463 92
Balance to new account,		\$143 85

## ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

Balance from 1889,	\$206 45
Appropriation for 1890,	3,400 00
Additional appropriation,	550 00
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	\$4,156 45
Paid Keene Gas Light Co., electric lights,	\$3,790 86
Balance to new account,	<hr/>
	\$365 59

## UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Amount due as per Joint Resolution,	\$20,602 81
Paid Nov. 8,	\$5,000 00
Nov. 29,	15,602 81
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	\$20,602 81

## CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Amount due as per Joint Resolution,	\$2,735 51
Paid Nov. 8,	\$800 00
Nov. 29,	1,935 51
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	\$2,735 51

## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Balance from 1889,	\$57 80
Appropriation, 1890,	500 00
Sale of catalogues and fines,	57 45
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	\$615 25
Paid Chas. L. Webster, books,	\$24 00
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., "	5 50

Paid Estes & Lauriat, books,	\$240 01
Balch Bros., “	50 00
S. G. Abbott, “	2 00
G. H. Tilden & Co., books and binding,	58 19
W. H. Spalter, books and binding,	12 80
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	\$392 50
Balance to new account,	<hr/>
	\$222 75

## PUBLIC LIBRARY EXPENSE.

Balance from 1889,	\$119 18
Appropriation for 1890,	500 00
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	\$619 18
Paid Mrs. L. M. Converse, Librarian,	\$300 00
Mary F. Sheldon, Assistant Librarian,	70 18
W. H. Spalter, supplies,	15 10
Keene Gas Light Co., gas,	44 00
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	6 25
S. C. Richardson, labor,	75
Library Bureau, supplies,	11 50
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance,	45 67
G. H. Tilden & Co., supplies,	2 54
H. S. Mackintosh, copying catalogues,	26 54
Rev. L. B. Baldwin, paid for labor,	1 30
A. A. Clough, work in library,	43 35
Wm. P. Chamberlain, goods,	25
Mrs. L. M. Converse, paid for cleaning,	9 55
Frank K. Burnham, work on storm door,	1 40
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	\$578 38
Balance to new account,	<hr/>
	\$40 80

## CONCRETE WALKS.

Appropriation,	\$2,000 00
Paid Simpson Brothers' bill for concreting,	\$4,670 03
Amount due from abutters as per City Engineer's report,	1,495 62
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	\$3,174 41

## PARKS.

Balance from 1889,	\$49 17
Appropriation for 1890,	100 00
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	\$149 17
Paid Geo. A. Wheelock, salary,	\$25 00
Geo. A. Wheelock, labor bills,	19 90
Geo. A. Wheelock, bills for trees,	
etc.,	64 30
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	\$109 20
Balance to new account,	<hr/>
	\$39 97

## WHEELOCK PARK.

Balance from 1889,	\$385 99
Appropriation 1890,	200 00
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	\$585 99
Paid Samuel Wadsworth, surveying,	\$23 08
Arba Stearns, labor,	29 00
E. O. Keith, labor and pipe,	5 94
C. Gonyou, labor on stone work,	17 25
Davis, Wright & Co., repairs,	1 00
Spencer & Co., cement,	7 00

Paid Knowlton & Stone, iron, etc.,	\$15 21	
L. W. Hammond, Agent, freight,	55	
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		\$99 03
Balance to new account,		<hr/>
		\$486 96

## ANNUAL INSPECTION OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation as per Joint Resolution passed,	\$60 00
Paid Reuben Ray, Treasurer,	60 00

## RUSSELL FUND.

Amount of interest received,	\$15 18
Paid N. G. Gurnsey, Superintendent,	\$15 18

## GATES FUND.

Amount of interest received,	\$1 67
Paid N. G. Gurnsey, Superintendent,	1 67

## HIBBARD FUND.

Amount of interest received,	\$60 00
Paid N. G. Gurnsey, Superintendent,	\$10 00
Balance for schools,	50 00
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	\$60 00

## INTEREST OF FAULKNER LEGACY.

Amount of interest in Treasurer's hands July 15,	\$125 00
Paid N. G. Gurnsey, Superintendent,	\$125 00



## PAYMENT OF COOLIDGE ANNUITY.

Appropriation as per Joint Resolution passed,	\$504 44
Paid Henry O. Coolidge,	\$104 44
Balance due Jan. 1, 1891,	400 00

## PURCHASE OF SNOW ROLLERS.

Appropriation of 1889,	\$100 00
Appropriation as per Joint Resolution,	55 00
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	\$155 00
Paid Geo. W. Russell for 2 rollers,	\$155 00

## PURCHASE OF METERS.

Appropriation as per Joint Resolution,	\$800 00
Paid L. W. Hammond, freight,	\$3 46
Hersey Meter Co.,	791 25
Balance to new account,	5 29
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	\$800 00

## MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES.

Appropriation as per Joint Resolution Jan.	
7,	\$150 00
Appropriation as per Joint Resolution,	25 00
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	\$175 00
Paid John Sedgwick Post, G. A. R.,	\$175 00

## PURCHASE OF A GRAVEL BANK.

Appropriation as per Joint Resolution passed Dec. 19,	\$362 80
Paid Alonzo Green,	\$362 80

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## PURCHASE OF A STEAM FIRE ENGINE.

Appropriation as per Joint Resolution passed Jan. 7, 1890,	\$3,500 00
Paid D. C. Howard, expenses of committee,	\$33 60
Western Union Telegraph Co., message,	1 06
Button Fire Engine Co., steamer,	2,876 00
Cheshire Railroad Co., freight,	24 00
Button Fire Engine Co., connection,	6 00
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	\$2,940 66
Balance to new account,	559 34
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	\$3,500 00

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## SURVEYING WINCHESTER STREET DITCH.

Paid Chas. Batchelder, amount paid for surveying,	\$18 00
Due from abutters,	\$18 00

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PURCHASE OF ADDITIONAL UNIFORMS FOR  
STEAM FIRE ENGINE & HOSE CO.

Appropriation as per Joint Resolution,	\$115 50
Paid M. V. B. Clark, Treasurer,	\$115 50

## EXTRA PAY FOR BOARD OF HEALTH.

Appropriation as per Joint Resolution passed Dec. 19,	\$240 00
Paid A. B. Thurston,	\$80 00
Don H. Woodward,	80 00
H. K. Faulkner,	80 00
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	\$240 00

## MINISTERIAL FUND.

Balance from last year,	\$0 07
Interest on fund,	220 98
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	\$221 05
Paid Rev. C. E. Harrington,	\$31 57
Rev. G. H. DeBevoise,	31 57
Rev. W. E. Bennett,	31 57
Rev. L. B. Baldwin,	31 57
Rev. S. A. Severance,	31 57
Rev. C. B. Elder,	31 57
Rev. J. R. Power,	31 57
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	\$220 99
Balance carried to new account,	\$0 06
Division made as per order passed Jan. 15, 1890.	

## SIMMONS AND EASTBURN FUNDS.

Balance from last year,	\$0 09
Interest on fund,	65 80
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	\$65 89
Paid Catharine B. Hastings,	\$8 23
Mrs. George Willard,	8 23

Paid Mrs. Esther Whitcomb,	\$8 23
Mrs. S. W. Raymond,	8 23
Mrs. J. O. Amidon,	8 23
Julia Metcalf,	8 23
Sylvia Russell,	8 23
Patty Leland,	8 23
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	\$65 84
Balance carried to new account,	<hr/> \$0 05
Division made as per order passed Feb. 4, 1890.	

## PURCHASE OF STONE CRUSHER.

Appropriation,	\$3,000, 00
Appropriation,	2,000 00
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	\$5,000 00
Paid E. W. Greenwood, expenses of committee,	
	\$12 75
Geo. K. and Henry Wright, land for plant,	500 00
L. W. Hammond, Agent, freight,	22 27
Samuel Wadsworth, surveying,	42 60
Knowlton & Stone, drills, etc.,	58 96
Reuben Ray, repairing tools, etc.,	28 27
J. P. Wellman, express on belt,	75
H. W. Hubbard, iron work,	67 99
Connecticut River Railroad, freight,	35 80
Fitchburg Railroad, freight,	42 00
Christian Presler, use of derrick,	51 33
J. P. Wellman, pay roll,	739 36
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	\$1,602 58
Balance to new account,	<hr/> \$3,397 42

## PURCHASE OF SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Appropriation,	\$1,000 00
Appropriation,	225 00
Appropriation,	2,000 00
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	\$3,225 00

Paid G. H. Tilden & Co., school books and supplies,	\$1,441 42
W. H. Spalter,	\$1,779 82
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	\$3,221 24
Balance to new account,	<hr/> \$3 76

## COUNTY TAX.

Amount called for in warrant,	\$14,064 75
Paid J. R. Beal, Treasurer,	\$14,064 75

## DAMAGE BY WATER.

Appropriation as per Joint Resolution,	\$532 15
Paid Spencer & Co.,	\$259 52
Geo. E. Holbrook & Co.,	243 33
E. Gustine & Son,	29 30
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	\$532 15

## DOG TAX.

Deposited dog tax 1888, S. O. Gates, Col- lector,	\$136 00
Deposited dog tax 1889, Asa Smith, Col- lector,	270 00
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	\$406 00

Paid Silas Hardy, damage to sheep,	\$20 00	
Amount turned over to School District,	406 00	
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		\$426 00
School Districts overpaid,		<hr/>
		\$20 00

## GRAFTON COUNTY PAUPER.

Paid for goods, etc.,	\$39 05	
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By received of Grafton County,	\$39 05	

## HINSDALE SOLDIERS' AID.

Paid F. E. Keyes, groceries,	\$3 86	
C. W. Wyman, provisions,	20	
Boston Branch Grocery, groceries,	1 80	
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		\$5 86

## WINCHESTER SOLDIERS' AID.

Paid C. M. Cummings, goods,	\$1 75	
F. E. Keyes, groceries,	4 36	
Amos Bancroft, provisions,	7 00	
Timothy Kelleher, rent Harvey,	18 75	
Boston Branch Grocery, groceries,	7 36	
A. H. Grimes, groceries,	8 00	
Boston Branch Shoe Store, goods,	1 50	
Chas. H. Bridgman, groceries,	5 00	
Wm. P. Chamberlain, goods,	1 75	
C. W. Wyman, provisions,	2 00	
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		\$57 47



## CITY SOLDIERS' AID.

Balance from 1889,	\$29 50
Appropriation for 1890,	500 00
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	\$529 50
Paid Mary McLaughlin, support of self,	\$66 00
N. G. Gurnsey & Sons, coal,	16 25
F. E. Keyes, groceries,	11 56
Sylvester Spaulding, boots and shoes,	2 25
J. F. & F. H. Whitcomb, clothing,	4 45
Boston Branch Grocery, groceries,	12 00
A. H. Grimes, groceries,	11 00
Chas. H. Bridgman, groceries,	12 00
M. V. B. Clark, groceries,	12 00
Leonard Perham, support of self,	90 00
Chas. Beaugerard, drawing wood,	5 00
Samuel Priest, cutting wood,	1 00
Spencer & Co., coal,	6 50
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	\$250 01
Balance to new account,	\$279 49

## COUNTY SOLDIERS' AID.

Paid Anna R. Dodge, support of self,	\$96 00
Thomas F. Leahy, rent Ware,	25 00
A. W. Perkins, rent Sargent,	48 00
Mrs. Frank Davis, care of Haskell,	42 88
J. P. Whitcomb, rent Gabourie,	50 00
Carl Johnson, milk for Ware,	16 44
Israel Sadoques, rent Jolly,	33 00
J. D. Dunbar, hearse for Garthier,	3 00
G. E. Holbrook & Co., groceries,	30 50
P. H. McCushing, groceries,	81 50
Dennis O'Brien, rent Jolly,	1 84

Paid E. M. Russell, care of Elmore,	\$86 90
N. G. Gurnsey & Sons, coal,	6 50
E. G. Randall, drawing wood,	75
F. E. Keyes, groceries,	16 75
Amos Bancroft, provisions,	13 00
Sylvester Spaulding, boots and shoes,	5 00
Sarah M. Howard, care of Mrs. A. Howard,	6 00
F. O. Nims, rent Edna Nims,	18 00
Boston Branch Grocery, groceries,	33 00
A. H. Grimes, groceries,	29 41
Catharine Hastings, support of self,	56 00
Chas. H. Bridgman, groceries,	10 50
C. H. Wilson, support of self and wife,	48 00
M. V. B. Clark, groceries,	4 00
John Q. Kinson, support of self and boy,	79 00
Orlando Seward, carting wood,	75
Mrs. Edna Nims, support of self,	35 00
F. H. Wright & Co., boots and shoes,	3 85
Nichols & Howard, groceries,	8 00
Mrs. F. Cummings, nursing at Edna Nims,	8 00
C. W. Wyman, provisions,	7 50
Chase & Richards, clothing,	26 50
Mrs. Emery Evleth, nursing at Edna Nims,	2 00
Mrs. M. A. Davis, nursing at Edna Nims,	1 50
Edwin W. Hadley, care of Isaac Hadley,	35 12
Chas. Beauregard, carting wood,	5 75
Bullard & Shedd, medicines, etc.,	7 60
Martha E. Avery, board Kinson and boy,	21 82
Nichols & Howard, groceries,	48 50

Paid W. G. Hall, goods,	\$2 30
Louis Gabourie, support of self and wife,	12 00
Mrs. Wyman Lawrence, board of Kin-son and boy,	12 00
T. Weisman, clothing,	10 00
A. G. Grimes, hack hire,	75
Ira J. Prouty, M. D., examining Mrs. Nims,	3 00
Wilbur & Hall, provisions,	73
F. A. Searle, board Kinson and boy,	15 00
Mrs. Daniel Coffee, washing for Kin-son,	3 00
L. E. Mason, clothing,	18 00
Spencer & Co., coal,	3 25
Frank Gallagher, rent Kinson,	9 00
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	\$1,141 89

## RECAPITULATION.

## RECEIPTS.

S. O. Gates, taxes, 1887 and 1888,	\$275 58
A. Smith, taxes, 1889,	21,901 69
A. Smith, taxes, 1890,	65,300 00
A. Smith, water rates,	13,832 50
J. P. Wellman, concrete walks,	754 70
J. P. Wellman, rent of stores City Hall,	1,539 05
J. P. Wellman, Town of Marlboro,'	4 00
J. P. Wellman, City vs. Darling,	41 61
J. P. Wellman, billiard licenses,	109 99
J. P. Wellman, Public Library, fines, etc.,	57 45
J. P. Wellman, circus licenses,	53 00
J. P. Wellman, account James Marsh estate,	54 75
J. P. Wellman, rent reservoir,	140 00
J. P. Wellman, use of steamer, E. Munsell,	15 00
Asa Smith, special drain,	35 68
Asa Smith, concrete assessments,	65 95
R. H. Porter, Ministerial fund,	220 98
R. H. Porter, Simmons and Eastburn funds,	134 89
R. H. Porter, Hibbard fund,	60 00
R. H. Porter, Faulkner fund,	125 00
R. H. Porter, Russell fund,	15 18
R. H. Porter, Gates fund,	1 67
P. Howland, Town of Hinsdale,	49 30
S. O. Gates, dog tax, 1888,	136 00
A. Smith, dog tax, 1890,	270 00
P. Howland, Grafton County,	39 05
H. O. Coolidge,	4,500 00
A. H. Grimes, sale of liquors,	126 28
Deposit from sinking fund,	1,300 00
State Treasurer, 1889, insurance tax,	412 50
State Treasurer, 1889, railroad tax,	6,698 16
State Treasurer, 1889, savings bank tax,	22,641 25

State Treasurer, 1889, literary fund,	\$970 97
State Treasurer, 1890, insurance tax,	420 00
State Treasurer, 1890, railroad tax,	6,895 24
State Treasurer, 1890, savings bank tax,	24,986 56
State Treasurer, 1890, literary fund,	1,194 12
E. A. Nims, rent of city pasture,	120 00
E. A. Nims, material and labor,	41 30
E. A. Nims, drawing steamer to Swanzey Factory,	10 00
E. O. Keith, rent of City Hall, 1889,	171 00
A. G. Henshaw, rent of City Hall, 1890,	1,058 50
F. O. Nims, county paupers,	5,423 68
F. O. Nims, county soldiers' aid,	1,109 36
F. O. Nims, account Fred Elmore,	9 44
F. O. Nims, account Geo. O. Harvey,	66 33
F. O. Nims, from Prouty and Gurnsey,	2 80
F. O. Nims, from Fisher & Stratton,	10 00
L. W. Holmes, police court fines,	486 00
P. F. Babbidge, sewers,	295 00
P. F. Babbidge, water works,	163 98
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	\$184,345 49
Amount overdrawn Dec. 9, 1890,	4,974 37
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	\$189,319 86

## EXPENDITURES.

Orders outstanding Dec. 6, 1889,	\$186 46
Overdraft Dec. 9, 1889,	8,418 77
Ordinary City Charges,	8,540 44
City Paupers,	2,455 70
County Paupers,	5,448 26
Highways and bridges,	16,659 33
Fire Department,	2,914 15
Police Department,	1,867 98
Water Works Maintenance,	3,507 60
Water Works Extension,	573 97
Water Works Extension, Echo Lake, Har- rison and Court streets,	317 93
Water Works Extension, Island street,	154 53
Water Works Extension, Butler Court,	2 00
Relaying water mains,	13,342 35
Terrace street, water and sewer,	249 44
Sewer Maintenance,	825 53
New sewers,	179 70
Appian Way, sewer,	249 78
Street lights, gas and gasoline,	1,463 92
Electric lights,	3,790 86
Union School District,	20,602 81
City School District,	2,735 51
Public Library,	392 50
Public Library Expense,	578 38
Concrete Walks,	4,670 03
Parks,	109 20
Wheelock Park,	99 03
Annual Inspection Fire Department,	60 00
Russell fund, interest,	15 18
Gates fund, interest,	1 67
Hibbard fund, interest,	10 00
Faulkner legacy, interest,	125 00
Coolidge annuity,	104 44
Purchase of snow rollers,	155 00



Purchase of meters,	\$794 71
Memorial Day services,	175 00
Purchase of a gravel bank,	362 80
Purchase of a Steam Fire Engine,	2,940 66
Surveying Winchester street ditch,	18 00
Purchase of additional uniforms for En- gine Co.,	115 50
Extra pay for Board of Health,	240 00
Ministerial fund, interest,	220 99
Simmons & Eastburn fund, interest,	65 84
Purchase of stone crusher,	1,602 58
Purchase of school books and supplies,	3,221 24
County tax,	14,064 75
Damage by water breaks,	532 15
Dog tax,	20 00
Grafton County, pauper,	39 05
Hinsdale, soldiers' aid,	5 86
Winchester, soldiers' aid,	57 47
City, soldiers' aid,	250 01
County, soldiers' aid,	1,141 89
Interest on old water bonds,	4,084 50
Water bonds due 1889,	1,000 00
Interest on railroad, sewer and new water bonds,	10,495 00
Water bonds due July 1890,	11,000 00
State tax, 1889,	17,970 00
State tax, 1890,	17,970 00
Coolidge gift deposited in Savings Bank,	4,500 00
Cheshire National Bank, interest,	412 18
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	\$194,107 63
Less orders outstanding Dec. 10, 1890,	\$4,786 54
Less error on old orders,	1 23
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	\$4,787 77
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	\$189,319 86

## INDEBTEDNESS.

## OLD WATER WORKS.

Due.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Due.
1889, January 1,	6 per cent.	\$1,000
1890, July 1,	"	300
1892, January 1,	"	4,000
1892, July 1,	"	9,000
1893, July 1,	"	5,500
1896, October 1,	"	10,000
1899, January 1,	5 per cent.	35,000
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		\$64,800

## RAILROAD GRATUITY BONDS.

1894, July 1,	4 per cent.	\$15,000
1895, "	"	15,000
1896, "	"	15,000
1897, "	"	15,000
1898, "	"	15,000
1899, "	"	15,000
1900, "	"	15,000
1901, "	"	15,000
1902, "	"	15,000
1903, "	"	15,000
1904, "	"	10,000
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		\$160,000

## SEWERAGE BONDS.

1905, July 1,	4 per cent.	\$15,000
1906, "	"	15,000
1907, "	"	15,000
1908, "	"	15,000
1909, "	"	10,000
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		\$70,000

## NEW WATER BONDS.

1910, January 1,	3½ per cent.	\$7,000
1911,       “	“	10,000
1912,       “	“	10,000
1913,       “	“	10,000
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		\$37,000
Total bonded city debt,		<hr/>
		\$331,800

## ASSETS DEC. 12, 1890.

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Due from Collector of Taxes, 1887-8,	\$1,545 02
“ “ “ 1889,	460 69
“ “ “ 1890,	26,020 90
“ Water Assessments,	530 64
“ Concrete “ 1889,	57 27
“ “ “ 1890,	1,495 62
“ Simmons and Eastburn funds.	
Interest since Jan. 1, 1890, not included,	65 80
Due from Ministerial fund. Interest since	
Jan. 1, 1890, not included,	210 34
Special drains assessments,	12 75
Water Loan Sinking Fund deposited in	
Cheshire Provident Institution. Interest	
since Oct. 1, 1890, not included,	23,596 22
Water Loan Sinking Fund deposited in	
Five Cents Savings Bank. Interest since	
July 1, 1890, not included,	15,856 46
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	\$69,851 71
Deduct overdraft on Treasurer,	4,974 37
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	\$64,877 34

## TRUST FUNDS.

## IN CARE OF CITY TREASURER.

HIBBARD LEGACY, \$1,000.—Invested in two \$500 6 per cent. Iowa Loan and Trust Co. debentures. Income used in taking care of Salma Hale lot in cemetery, balance for schools.

CHARLES S. FAULKNER LEGACY, \$2,500.—Invested in one \$1,000 Keene water bond, two \$500 Keene water bonds, one \$500 town of Hinsdale bond. Income used in improving and ornamenting Woodland cemetery.

SIMMONS AND EASTBURN FUNDS, \$1,300.—Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings Bank. Given by David Simmons and Susan Eastburn. Interest for the relief and comfort of aged and infirm poor of Keene.

MINISTERIAL FUND, \$4,155.—Deposited in Keene Five Cents Savings Bank. Derived from sale of wood on "ministerial lot." Interest divided annually among the clergymen of Keene.

RUSSELL FUND, \$300.—Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution. Interest used in taking care of Lucinda Russell lot in cemetery, balance for improving and ornamenting Woodland cemetery.

FIREMEN'S RELIEF FUND, \$500.—Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings Bank. Interest to be used under direction of officers of fire department for relief of firemen injured in discharge of duty.

GATES FUND, \$100.—Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution. Interest to be used in taking care of the "Rufus Gates Lot," and balance in improving Woodland cemetery.

COOLIDGE FUND, \$4,500.—Deposited in Keene Guaranty Savings Bank. Principal to be used toward building or furnishing a Public Library Building.

WHITNEY FUND, \$100.—Deposited in Cheshire Provident Institution. Interest to be used annually in improving lot No. 266 in Greenlawn cemetery.

## PROPERTY BELONGING TO THE CITY.

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City water works,	\$190,000 00
City hall building,	35,500 00
Furniture in same,	1,000 00
Fire department,	13,000 00
Land and buildings, Vernon street,	7,500 00
Perry place, Washington street,	15,500 00
City pasture,	2,000 00
Stone crushing works and land,	4,000 00
Water works, stock and tools,	1,700 00
Highway tools and horses,	2,000 00
Liquors in hands of Agent,	250 00
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	\$272,450 00



## ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR 1891.

*To the City Councils of the City of Keene.*

The Finance Committee present the following estimates of the amount of money necessary to be raised the ensuing year, and respectfully recommend that \$35,000 of the amount be raised by taxation, and the remainder be paid from any balance in the treasury :

Ordinary city charges,	\$7,500 00
City paupers,	2,000 00
Dependent soldiers,	200 00
Highways and bridges,	15,000 00
Concrete sidewalks,	2,000 00
Fire Department,	3,000 00
Police,	1,500 00
Electric lights,	3,500 00
Gas and gasoline lights,	1,500 00
Public library,	500 00
Support of public library,	500 00
Memorial services,	175 00
Interest on M. & K. R. R. gratuity bonds,	6,400 00
Interest on sewer loan,—	2,800 00
Interest on new water loan bonds,	1,295 00
Sinking fund,	10,000 00
New sewers,	500 00
Public parks,	100 00
H. O. Coolidge annuity,	800 00
School books and supplies,	4,000 00

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\$63,270 00

1890.

Valuation of the city,	\$6,117,404 00
Tax assessed for the year,	82,186 05
Rate of taxation, \$1.30 per \$100.	
Additional in Union School District \$0.16 per \$100.	
Additional in Town School District \$0.08 per \$100.	

POLLS, VALUATION AND TAXES ASSESSED FROM  
1874 to 1890 INCLUSIVE.

Year.	No. Polls.	Valuation.	Taxes.
1874,	1919	\$4,298,386 00	\$61,065 27
1875,	1789	4,676,117 00	67,354 78
1876,	1813	5,737,350 00	72,341 30
1877,	1842	4,852,664 00	75,961 25
1878,	1815	5,366,918 00	75,639 77
1879,	1717	5,081,876 00	62,521 84
1880,	1802	5,757,752 00	60,758 18
1881,	1842	5,671,628 00	70,601 40
1882,	1900	5,849,418 00	67,430 85
1883,	1908	5,936,182 00	73,909 11
1884,	1795	5,922,043 00	72,281 96
1885,	1869	5,849,292 00	72,910 08
1886,	1845	5,938,529 00	77,764 66
1887,	1961	5,950,822 00	70,894 98
1888,	1999	6,089,996 00	80,105 80
1889,	2075	6,096,732 00	81,688 24
1890,	2046	6,117,404 00	82,186 05

We certify that we have examined the books and accounts of the City Treasurer and City Clerk and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

H. B. VIALI.

FREDERIC A. FAULKNER.

C. WILLIS MORSE.

L. M. RICHARDS.

Keene, N. H., Dec. 12, 1890.

# WATER WORKS AND SEWERS.

## BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

E. S. FOSTER, CHAIRMAN.

N. G. GURNSEY.

G. W. FISHER, CLERK.

*Office Hours: 7.30 to 9 p. m., Saturdays.*

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## SUPERINTENDENT.

P. F. BABBIDGE.

OFFICE, CITY HALL.

*Office Hours: 9 to 10 a. m., 2.30 to 3.15 p. m. Wednesday and Saturday, 7.30 to 9 p. m.*

TELEPHONE CALL, 12-3.

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## ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT.

D. C. KING.

# WATER WORKS AND SEWERS.

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## TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

## WATER AND SEWER COMMISSIONERS.

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### *To the City Councils :*

We herewith transmit the twenty-first annual report of the Superintendent of the Keene Water Works, together with the seventh annual report of the Superintendent of Sewers.

The financial account for the year is as follows :

Assessments and arrearages as given to the

Collector,		\$17,672 81
Amount collected,	\$13,746 58	
Advance payment discounts,	3,226 85	
Abated,	168 74	
Uncollected,	530 64	
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		\$17,672 81

The earnings of the year are as follows :

Assessments Nos. 41 and 42,	\$17,040 15
Sale of ice,	120 00
Sale of stock,	98 25
Tapping account,	140 73
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	\$17,399 13



Less advance discounts,	\$3,226 85
refunded from treasury,	61 52
Abatements,	83 00
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	\$3,371 37
	\$14,027 76
Gross earnings,	\$14,027 76
Maintenance,	3,051 47
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Net earnings,	\$10,976 29

We would respectfully call your attention to that portion of the Superintendent's report showing the large expenditure necessary in repairing the cement pipe.

This it will be seen is a large item in the yearly expense account resulting in no permanent benefit to the water system.

It would also be well to bear in mind that in addition to the expense to the city of repairing the cement pipe we are also taking great risks of loss by fire, which was exemplified in one instance during the past year, when but for a burst in the cement pipe, a large amount of property which was destroyed might probably have been saved.

We would therefore urge that provisions are made for re-laying with iron pipe all the streets named in the Superintendent's report.

We respectfully ask your consideration of the question of providing a suitable office for the use of the Commissioners and Superintendent.

The office at present occupied is very well adapted to the needs of the Department of Water Works and Sewers, but is not suitable when used jointly with the Tax Collector.

In closing we desire to commend the Superintendent of this department for the efficient manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

E. S. FOSTER,  
N. G. GURNSEY,  
G. W. FISHER,

Water and Sewer Commissioners.

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

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*To the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners:*

GENTLEMEN: I herewith submit the 21st annual report of the Water Department and the 7th annual report of the Sewer Department for the year ending Dec. 1, 1890.

### WATER WORKS.

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#### SERVICE PIPES.

Reported December 1, 1889,	1,261
Additions to December 1, 1890,	34
Whole number December 1, 1890,	1,295

#### ASSESSMENTS.

Forty-first assessment, Dec. 1, 1889,	\$8,178 78
Forty-second assessment, June 1, 1890,	8,857 37
Amount of assessments for 1890,	\$17,036 15
Amount uncollected Dec. 1, 1889,	632 66
Total amount delivered to collector,	\$17,668 81

Of this amount the following amounts have been refunded by orders on the treasury :

On 36th assessment,	\$1 92
" 38th "	23 75
" 39th "	14 45
" 40th "	21 40
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	\$61 52

### CASH RECEIVED ON ACCOUNT OF WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.

E. O. Keith, tapping account, etc.,	\$78 25
Davis, Wright & Co., tapping account, etc.,	59 07
Kirk & Sewall, tapping account, etc.,	5 75
M. Armstrong,	3 75
Cash received for labor and stock,	72 16
John Knight, on account,	20 00
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### MAINTENANCE.

Paid E. S. Foster, salary as Commissioner,	\$25 00
N. G. Gurnsey, salary as Commissioner,	25 00
G. W. Fisher, salary as Commissioner,	25 00
P. F. Babbidge, salary as Superintendent,	800 04
Pay rolls, etc., labor,	1,229 89
J. D. Dunbar, teams,	15 00
Davis, Wright & Co., labor and stock,	60 17
G. H. Tilden & Co., assessment books,	14 85
Mary Elliot, rent of land,	30 00
David Russell, teams,	23 50
S. Spaulding, rubber boots,	8 00
E. R. Angell, analysis of water,	9 00
Knowlton & Stone, cement, cloth, etc.,	353 13
Sentinel Printing Co., printing,	121 00
H. W. Hubbard, labor and stock,	83 58
R. Ray, labor and stock,	8 70
C. H. Douglas, analysis of water,	10 00
S. O. Gates, team,	2 50
Hayes Mfg. Co., extension boxes,	50 40
Edson Mfg. Co., pump and valves,	56 93
F. G. Dort & Co., bottles,	75

Paid Boston Branch, oil,	\$0 75
Nims, Whitney & Co., boxes and lumber,	10 80
L. E. Mason, rubber mits,	1 25
Clipper Machine Co., picks,	4 00
W. H. Spalter, books and paper,	9 28
Spencer & Co., cement, etc.,	5 08
Walworth Mfg. Co., wrench and drill,	9 68
W. P. Chamberlain, cloth,	8 13
E. O. Keith, labor and stock,	46 29
Cheshire Provident Institution, case,	2 00
E. C. Terry, meter,	18 25
Connecticut River R. R., freight,	4 50
C. Bridgman, oil,	2 05
Gurnsey & Son, team,	2 00
B. & M. R. R., freight,	3 38
Humphrey Machine Co., castings, etc.,	26 70
Cheshire R. R., freight,	60
Whittier Mfg. Co., pipe,	27 82
C. M. Cummings, rubber boots,	3 00
Smith & Anthony, corporation cock,	2 40
A. B. Skinner, cloth,	11 15
H. Hamblet, labor,	3 00
Town of Nelson, taxes,	11 06
Town of Roxbury, taxes,	113 43
John Daley, damages,	50 00
J. W. Buckminster, teams,	9 25
Gilchrist & Taylor, pipe, etc.,	107 89
M. M. Parks, water rebate,	4 00
Lucy Raymond, " "	67
D. M. Pollard, " "	7 50
Albert Thatcher, " "	75
C. F. Rowell, " "	1 00
Mrs. F. H. Britton, " "	1 25
Mrs. R. F. H. Hill, " "	1 25
J. D. Thomas, " "	1 25
T. Colony's estate, " "	26 40

Paid D. J. Murphy,	water rebate,	\$4 00
Levi Britton,	" "	6 50
E. E. Merriam,	" "	2 50
J. T. Armstrong,	" "	2 00
G. W. Garfield,	" "	2 45
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		\$3,507 70
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By stock and labor,		\$456 23
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		\$3,951 47

Highway department, teams, etc., \$48.00.

### RELAYING WATER MAINS.

#### CENTER STREET.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and spec-		
ials,		\$150 73
Knowlton & Stone, lead, etc.,	11	75
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	24	85
Summer & Goodwin, corporation cocks,	8	52
Hayes Mfg. Co., extension boxes,	3	00
Humphrey Machine Co., castings,	1	00
Highway Department, teams,	4	00
Pay roll, labor,	24	26
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		\$228 11

#### COOLIDGE STREET.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and specials,	\$207	57
Knowlton & Stone, lead, etc.,	16	17
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	25	40
Summer & Goodwin, corporation		
cocks,	7	63
Hayes Mfg. Co., extension boxes,	8	00
Humphrey Machine Co., castings,	1	50

Paid Highway Department, team,	\$8 00	
Pay roll, labor,	67 88	
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## WINTER STREET.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and spe-		
cials,	\$398 07	
Knowlton & Stone, lead, etc.,	40 10	
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	43 19	
Sumner & Goodwin, corporation		
cocks and valve,	13 74	
Hayes Mfg. Co., extension boxes,	12 00	
Humphrey Machine Co., derrick,	2 00	
Highway Department, team,	4 00	
Pay-roll, labor,	104 12	
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## MAIN STREET HYDRANT.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and hy-		
drant,	\$75 76	
Pay roll, labor,	14 46	
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## TANNERY STREET.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and spe-		
cials,	\$180 48	
Knowlton & Stone, lead, etc.,	22 50	
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	5 40	
Humphrey Machine Co., castings,	1 00	
Highway Department, team,	4 00	
Labor,	40 81	
Sumner & Goodwin, corporation cocks,	2 50	
	<hr/>	\$256 69



## EMERALD STREET.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and specials,	\$940 86
Knowlton & Stone, lead, etc.,	68 80
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	40 42
Humphrey Machine Co., use of derrick,	3 00
A. Fletcher, wood,	3 00
H. O. Fields, wood,	4 00
W. B. Fitch, wood,	2 50
Highway Department, team,	7 00
Labor,	174 27
Sumner & Goodwin, corporation cocks,	10 00
Hayes Mfg. Co., extension boxes,	8 00
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	\$1,261 85

## MIDDLE STREET.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and specials,	\$189 03
Knowlton & Stone, lead,	12 75
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	19 58
Sumner & Goodwin, corporation cocks,	6 87
Hayes Mfg. Co., extension boxes,	6 00
Humphrey Machine Co., derrick,	1 00
Highway Department, team,	4 00
Labor,	32 97
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	\$272 20

## WASHINGTON STREET.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and specials,	\$934 79
Knowlton & Stone, lead, etc.,	82 40
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	72 55

Paid Sumner & Goodwin, corporation	
cocks,	\$25 00
Hayes Mfg. Co., extension boxes,	13 20
Davis & Farnum Mfg. Co., castings,	24 50
H. W. Hubbard, repairing tools,	8 15
Humphrey Machine Co., derrick,	2 00
Highway Department, teams,	12 00
Labor,	251 34
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	\$1,425 93

## WEST STREET, MAIN TO ASHUELOT.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and spe-	
cials,	\$2,021 58
Ludlow Valve Co., hydrant,	27 21
Knowlton & Stone, lead, etc.,	185 12
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	115 25
Sumner & Goodwin, corporation	
cocks,	17 66
Geo. Woodman & Co., extension boxes,	21 00
Humphrey Machine Co., castings and	
derrick,	10 00
H. W. Hubbard, repairing,	5 00
H. O. Fields, wood,	10 00
C. H. Bridgman, oil,	4 71
Highway Department, team,	15 00
Labor,	404 60
Cheshire R. R., freight,	1 93
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	\$2,839 06

## SUMMER STREET.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and spe-	
cials,	\$349 09
Knowlton & Stone, lead, etc.,	33 90
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	50 09

Paid Sumner &amp; Goodwin, corporation

cocks,	\$12 59
Hayes Mfg. Co., extension boxes,	13 00
Humphrey Machine Co., castings and derrick,	2 00
Highway Department, team,	4 00
Labor,	99 17

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 \$563 84

## ROXBURY STREET HYDRANT.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and hy-  
drants,

\$71 40

## WEST STREET, WEST OF PARK AVENUE.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and spe-  
cials,

	\$393 81
Knowlton & Stone, lead,	35 10
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	14 60
Sumner & Goodwin, corporation cocks,	7 25
Hayes Mfg. Co., extension boxes,	7 00
Humphrey Machine Co., derrick,	2 00
Labor,	85 43

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 \$545 19

## MAIN STREET.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and spe-  
cials,

	\$1,745 13
Knowlton & Stone, lead, etc.,	115 37
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	65 77
R. Ray, repairing tools,	6 02
Humphrey Machine Co., derrick, etc.,	8 42
G. W. Russell, drag,	3 00
H. W. Hubbard, tools,	7 88

Paid H. O. Fields, wood,	\$10 00
Highway Department, team,	12 00
Labor,	296 81
Sumner & Goodwin, corporation cocks,	30 27
Hayes Mfg. Co., extension boxes,	25 00
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	\$2,325 67

## WINCHESTER STREET.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and spe-	
cials,	\$871 50
Knowlton & Stone, lead,	17 00
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	87 52
Sumner & Goodwin, corporation cocks,	10 00
H. W. Hubbard, repairing tools,	8 54
J. P. Wellman, telegram,	1 30
Highway Department, teams,	8 00
Labor,	136 55
Hayes Mfg. Co., extension boxes,	8 00
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	\$1,148 41

## MADISON STREET.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and spe-	
cials,	\$169 86
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	32 35
R. Ray, repairing tools,	2 65
Highway Department, team,	2 00
Labor,	48 54
Sumner & Goodwin, corporation cocks,	6 00
Hayes Mfg. Co., extension boxes,	3 60
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	\$265 00

## RECONSTRUCTION.

Cost of reconstruction, 1890,	\$12,252 64
Cost of reconstruction, 1888,	\$10,085 57
Cost of reconstruction, 1889,	<u>7,008 08</u>
Cost of reconstruction to Dec. 1, 1889,	\$17,093 65
Total cost of reconstruction, Dec. 1, 1890,	<u>\$29,346 29</u>

WATER EXTENSION, SPECIAL APPROPRIA-  
TION.

## MYRTLE STREET.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and spe- cials,	\$593 40
Davis & Farnum Mfg. Co., castings,	17 85
Knowlton & Stone, lead, etc.,	79 50
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	8 05
Sumner & Goodwin, corporation cocks,	2 67
Hayes Mfg. Co., extension boxes,	3 00
Humphrey Machine Co., castings,	1 50
S. W. Williams, lumber,	2 07
Highway Department, team,	14 00
Labor,	<u>136 94</u>
	\$858 98

## TERRACE STREET.

Paid Sumner & Goodwin, pipe,	\$70 00
Cheshire R. R., freight,	2 77
Labor,	<u>36 77</u>
	\$109 54

## ISLAND STREET.

Paid Whittier Machine Co., pipe,	\$87 13	
Knowlton & Stone, lead,	10 26	
Beaver Mills, wood,	4 00	
Labor,	52 39	
C. Bridgman, oil,	75	
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## HARRISON STREET.

Paid Beaver Mills, wood,	\$18 00	
H. W. Hubbard, repairs,	1 55	
Knowlton & Stone, lead,	40 00	
Humphrey Machine Co., castings,	8 00	
	<hr/>	\$67 55

## ARMORY STREET.

Paid Sumner & Goodwin, pipe,	\$13 93	
From stock, pipe and gate,	63 00	
Labor,	44 75	
E. O. Keith, pipe,	20 00	
Cheshire R. R., freight,	3 96	
	<hr/>	\$145 64

## COURT STREET HYDRANT.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and spe-		
cials,	\$71 65	
From stock, pipe,	5 00	
Labor,	15 45	
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## ADAMS STREET.

Paid Sumner & Goodwin, pipe,	\$39 40	
Pay roll, labor,	11 66	
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## UNION STREET.

Paid R. D. Wood & Co., pipe and specials,	\$118 39
Knowlton & Stone, lead,	10 54
Humphrey Machine Co., castings,	1 05
Hayes Mfg. Co., extension boxes,	3 00
E. O. Keith, changing connections,	7 95
Sumner & Goodwin, corporation cocks,	3 50
Pay roll, labor,	35 65
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	\$180 08

## GREENLAWN STREET.

Paid Sumner & Goodwin, pipe, etc.,	\$76 83
Connecticut River R. R., freight,	5 16
E. O. Keith, stock and labor,	12 91
From stock, gate,	7 00
Pay roll, labor,	35 50
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	\$137 40

## GATES STREET.

Paid Gates & Dodge,	\$54 27
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## MYRTLE STREET, 2D.

Paid Sumner & Goodwin, pipe,	\$44 65
Fitchburg R. R., freight,	98
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	\$45 63
Total cost of extensions, 1890,	<hr/> \$1,896 78
Reported Dec. 1, 1889,	\$232,229 96
Less reconstruction, 1888 and 1889,	17,093 65
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Making cost of works Dec. 1, 1889,	\$215,136 31
Total cost of works Dec. 1, 1890,	\$217,033 09

## SPECIAL.

## ECHO LAKE DAM.

Paid H. W. Hubbard, repairing tools,	\$9 41
R. Ray, repairing tools,	3 91
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	1 36
P. F. Babbidge, car fare for men,	1 20
A. B. Skinner, explosives,	7 90
Knowlton & Stone, cement,	20 93
J. W. Buckminster, teams,	74 00
C. Bridgman,	3 50
Pay roll, labor,	128 17
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	\$250 38

## METERS.

Paid Hersey Meter Co., meters,	\$791 25
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	3 46
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	\$794 71

## WATER PIPE LAID IN 1890.

STREET.	LENGTH.		LENGTH.	LENGTH.		HYDRANTS.		GATES.			
	Diam. 12 in.	Diam. 8 in.	Diam. 6 in.	Diam. 4 in.	Diam. 2 in.		12 in.	8 in.	6 in.	4 in.	2 in.
Armory, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	450	.	.	.	.	.	1
Adams, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	226	.	.	.	.	.	.
Centre, . . . . .	.	.	.	420	.	.	.	.	.	2	.
Coolidge, . . . . .	.	.	.	575	.	.	.	.	.	2	.
Court, . . . . .	.	.	.	48	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
Emerald, . . . . .	.	1,240	.	114	.	2	.	1	.	.	.
Greenlawn, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	540	.	.	.	.	.	1
Madison, . . . . .	.	.	.	516	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
Main, . . . . .	1,008	84	144	254	.	5	2	1	2	.	4
Myrtle, . . . . .	.	.	1,050	24	230	2	.	.	1	.	1
Middle, . . . . .	.	.	.	450	.	1	.	.	.	2	.
Spruce, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	190	.	.	.	.	.	.
Summer, . . . . .	.	.	360	424	.	1	.	.	.	1	.
Tannery, . . . . .	.	.	.	470	.	1	.	.	.	1	1
Terrace, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	475	.	.	.	.	.	.
Union, . . . . .	.	.	.	350	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
Washington, . . . . .	.	1,136	108	60	.	2	.	1	1	1	7
West, . . . . .	.	2,540	924	232	.	5	.	2	4	2	5
Winchester, . . . . .	.	744	360	156	.	3	.	1	1	1	2
Winter, . . . . .	.	.	460	430	.	1	.	.	.	1	2
Roxbury, . . . . .	.	.	.	48	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
	1,008	5,744	3,406	4,571	2,111	26	2	6	9	17	24

## RECAPITULATION.

2-inch diameter,	2,111
4-inch diameter,	4,571
6-inch diameter,	3,406
8-inch diameter,	5,744
12-inch diameter,	1,008

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16,840=3 miles, 1000 feet.

## STOCK ON HAND.

10 feet of 16-inch cast iron pipe,	\$17 50
46 " 14 " " " "	65 76
192 " 12 " " " "	220 80
60 " 10 " " " "	52 80
876 " 6 " " " "	359 16
60 " 8 " " " "	37 20
180 " 4 " " " "	45 00
1 8x4 T cast iron,	6 50
2 8 to 6 R cast iron,	12 00
4-inch plugs cast iron,	
6-inch plugs,	
4 4-inch gates,	36 00
4 6 " "	56 00
2 8 " "	40 50
18 feet of 8-inch wrought iron pipe,	40 00
17 " 6 " " " "	17 00
44 " 4 " " " "	30 80
22 " 3 " " " "	6 50
29 " 2½ " " " "	7 25
224 " 2 " " " "	33 60
190 " 1 " " " "	17 10
Small pipe fittings,	15 00
10 2-inch Humphrey's valves,	70 00
2 2-inch wheel valves,	7 50
2 1½-inch wheel valves,	6 00
3 ¾-inch corporation cocks,	3 00
5 1 " " "	8 00
3 1¼ " " "	6 60
49 extension boxes,	61 25
2000 lbs. of lead,	120 50

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## TOOLS, ETC., ON HAND.

Office furniture, etc.,	\$60 00
5 pipe tongs,	10 00
20 shovels and 18 picks,	24 00
1 tapping machine,	85 00
1 set chain blocks,	45 00
2 Edson pumps,	100 00
Set dies, stock and pipe cutter,	17 85
Pipe vice,	12 00
2 Stillson wrenches,	6 00
1 chain wrench, 3 hammers, 2 wrenches,	7 50
2 furnaces, 2 kettles, 2 ladles,	10 00
4 bars,	4 00
14 gate wrenches,	15 00
7 cable chains,	20 00
6 blocks,	19 00
2 augers,	1 85
35 lanterns,	17 50
4 tamping hammers,	7 00
2 axes, 2 hammers,	3 50
Set tamping tools for cement pipe,	3 00
1 saw, 1 pair shears, 1 oil can,	4 00
2 hoes, 1 rake,	2 00
1 ice chisel, 1 sledge hammer,	3 25
5 pails, 1 derrick,	6 00
1 wheelbarrow, 4 canal wheelbarrows,	14 00
1 level, 1 jack screw,	4 25
Rubber mits and rubber blanket,	4 50
10 drills, 9 chisels, 13 tamping irons,	20 00
Lot of old hose,	15 00
Lot of rope,	20 00
Lot of cleaning tools,	10 00

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## MAIN AND DISTRIBUTION PIPES IN USE DEC. 1, 1890.—Continued.

STREET.	WRT IRON.		CAST IRON PIPE.						CEMENT LINED PIPE.								
	1½ in.	2 in.	4 in.	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	14 in.	16 in.	24 in.	4 in.	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	14 in.	16 in.
Elliot,	.	663	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ellis,	.	600	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Elm,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Emerald,	.	280	642	486	1240	.	.	.	.	.	3105	.	.	.	.	.	.
Forest,	.	679	372	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Foster,	.	1002	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Franklin,	.	.	.	36	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	924	.	.	.	.	.
George,	.	470	1100	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gilsum,	.	830	330	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1062	.	.	.	.	.
Greenlawn,	.	540	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Grant,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	623	.	.	.	.	.	.
Green,	.	255	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Grove,	.	422	420	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gates,	.	695	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Harrison,	.	.	.	.	1138	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
High,	.	1146	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Howard,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Island,	.	.	108	2050	.	.	.	.	.	.	634	.	.	.	.	.	.
Kelleher,	.	1240	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1440	.	.	.	.	.	.
Leverett,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Lincoln,	.	560	.	24	.	.	.	.	.	.	811	.	.	.	.	.	.
Madison,	.	.	516	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2546	.	.	.	.	.
Main,	.	1807	.	1709	284	.	.	.	.	1008	.	.	.	.	657	.	.
Maple,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	735	.	.	.	.	.
Marlboro',	.	.	.	2244	.	.	.	.	.	.	540	.	.	.	.	.	.
Mechanic,	.	.	.	1100	.	.	.	.	.	.	2082	.	.	.	.	.	.



## MAIN AND DISTRIBUTION PIPES IN USE DEC. 1, 1890.—Continued.

STREET.	W'R'T IRON.		CAST IRON PIPE.						CEMENT LINED PIPE.								
	1½ in.	2 in.	4 in.	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	14 in.	16 in.	24 in.	4 in.	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	16 in.	24 in.
Townes, . . . . .		263															
Union, . . . . .			410								820						
Valley, . . . . .											531						
Vernon, . . . . .		244	360														
Washington, . . . .		900	60	108	1136						800	1764					
Washington Ave., .											680	692					
Water, . . . . .		212									4451						
Willow, . . . . .		286															
Wells, . . . . .		210															
West, . . . . .			180	1294	2540						511	2366					
Winchester, . . . .			4456	860	744												
Winchester Ct., . .		525															
Winter, . . . . .			430	532													
Woodburn, . . . . .		750															
Wilber, . . . . .		365															
Wilson, . . . . .		245															
Echo Lake Main, . .					14255	891	325	147									
	1144	25397	15614	16970	22053	1011	6543	711	392	129	32135	13981	2547	657	13100	710	690

## RECAPITULATION.

Wrought Iron, . . . . .	26,541 feet.
Cast Iron, . . . . .	63,423 "
Cement Lined, . . . . .	63,820 "
	153,784 feet = 29 miles and 664 feet.

## NO. AND LOCATION OF FIRE HYDRANTS.

No.	Post.	Flush.	Street.	Location.
101		1	Ashuelot.	East side, 200 feet South of Ashuelot Ct.
135	2-way.		Appian.	South side, half way between Main and Madison sts.
136	2-way.		"	South side, opposite Madison St.
48		1	Beaver.	North side, East of Page st.
49		1	"	North side, opposite East cor. of Franklin st.
50		1	"	North side, near Southeast cor. of Cemetery.
51		1	"	North side, West cor. of Lincoln st.
57		1	Beach.	East side, 600 feet from Roxbury st.
137	2-way.		Butler Ct.	West side, 600 feet from Winchester st.
139	4-way.		Central Square.	South side of Park.
39		1	Church.	North side, West cor. of Norway st.
40		1	"	North side, opposite Wells st.
96		1	"	North side, West cor. of Probate st.
72		1	Colorado.	East side, 600 feet from West st.
52		1	Cottage.	North side, front of No. 34 Cottage st.
41	3-way.		Court.	West side, front of Court House.
150	2-way.		"	West side, opposite Vernon st.
42	2-way.		"	West side, opposite Mechanic st.
43	2-way.		"	West side, South cor. of School st.
44	2-way.		"	West side, opposite Cross st.
45		1	"	West side, opposite Forest st.
46		1	"	East side, front of G. D. Harris.
47		1	"	West side, opposite Prospect st.
132		1	"	West side, at Glue Works.
156	2-way.		"	West side, at Glue Works.
138	2-way.		"	West side, near H. M. Darling's.
17		1	Cross.	North side, West cor. of Howard st.
102		1	Davis.	North side, West cor. of Wilson st.
130		1	Dunbar.	South of shoe shop, between Water and Dunbar sts.
129		1	"	North side, West of shoe shop.
66		1	"	North side, front of No. 52 Dunbar st.
34		1	Elm.	East side, Northeast cor. of Union st.

No.	Post.	Flush.	Street.	Location.
35		I	Elm.	West side, Northwest cor. of Cross st.
36		I	"	West side, Northwest cor. of High st.
37		I	"	West side, South cor. of Baldwin st.
82		I	"	West side, North cor. of North st.
19		I	Emerald.	North side, opposite Ralston st.
20	2-way.		"	North side, opposite Dunn & Salisbury's.
21	2-way.		"	South side, East cor. of Wilson st.
133	2-way.		"	South side, West of Railroad.
134	2-way.		"	South side, West end of Emerald st.
127		I	George.	North side, near foot of hill.
126		I	"	North side, East of Beaver Brook.
131	2-way.		Gilsum.	West side, cor. of North st.
99		I	"	West side, North of Washington st.
56		I	Grant.	East side, in front of No. 29 Grant st.
123	2-way.		Grove.	West side, opposite Myrtle st.
145	2-way.		Harrison.	East side, Northeast cor. Church st.
80	3-way.		"	East side, South of Beaver Brook.
18		I	Howard.	West side, Southwest cor. of High st.
69		I	"	West side, North of Maple st.
149	2-way.		Island.	West side, South of Railroad.
81	2-way.		Leverett.	South side, Southwest cor. of River st.
58		I	Lincoln.	East side, opposite Church st.
59		I	"	East side, half way between Church and Water sts.
60		I	"	East side, Northeast cor. of Water st.
2	2-way.		Main.	West side, South cor. of West st.
154	2-way.		"	East side, South cor. of Church st.
4	2-way.		"	West side, front of Davis, Wright & Co.
155	2-way.		"	West side, South of Railroad.
5	2-way.		"	West side, South cor. of Emerald st.
6		I	"	West side, North cor. of Davis st.
7		I	Main.	East side, North cor. Marlboro' st.
8	2-way.		"	West side, North cor. Appian Way.



No.	Post.	Flush.	Street.	Location.
9	2-way.		Main.	West side, front of J. B. Elliot estate.
147	2-way.		"	West side, South of Gates st.
10	2-way.		"	West side, opposite Baker st.
148	2-way.		"	West side, front of E. F. Lane's.
103	2-way.		"	West side, at J. S. Taft & Co's.
11		I	Marlboro'.	North side, front of 64 Marlboro' st.
75	2-way.		"	South side, East of Grove st.
76	2-way.		"	North side, East of Kelleher st.
117		I	"	South side, East of Beaver Brook.
118		I	"	South side, 600 feet East of Beaver Brook.
119		I	"	North side, 400 feet East of Baker st.
120		I	"	1,000 feet East of Baker st.
12	2-way.		Mechanic.	North side, East cor. of Pleasant st.
33	2-way.		"	North side, West cor. of Elm st.
153	2-way.		Middle.	West side, opposite Centre st.
151	2-way.		Myrtle.	North side, opposite Foster.
152	2-way.		"	West side, opposite Wringer Co.
73		I	Park Row.	Centre of Park.
91		I	Park Ave.	East side, 400 feet from West st.
92		I	"	East side, 350 feet West of school house.
93		I	"	East side, opposite Chesterfield road.
104		I	Pearl.	West side, North of Cheshire Railroad.
105		I	"	West side, South of Hart place.
106		I	"	West side, Ash Swamp road.
107		I	"	West side, near turn of street.
108		I	"	East side, 600 feet North of school house.
109		I	"	West side, 200 feet North of school house.
128	2-way.		Prospect.	North side, West of Forest st.
77		I	Railroad.	North side, West cor. of Wells st.
78	2-way.		"	South side, East of 93d st.
79	2-way.		"	South side, at Humphrey's shop.
146	2-way.		"	North side, near Beaver Mills office.
143	2-way.		Railroad.	Northwest cor. of engine house.
144	2-way.		"	South side of middle shop.

No.	Post.	Flush.	Street.	Location.
121		1	Railroad Square.	South side, West of passenger depot.
122		1	"	North side, Northeast from freight depot.
38		1	Ralston.	East side, Southwest cor. of Davis st.
100		1	River.	East side, 100 feet North of Castle st.
3	2-way.		Roxbury.	South side, near Dunbar stable.
140	2-way.		"	North side, near Post Office.
13	2-way.		"	North side, opposite Norway st.
53	2-way.		"	South side, opposite Franklin st.
54	2-way.		"	North side, East cor. of Beach st.
55	2-way.		"	North side, West cor. of Lincoln st.
83		1	"	West side, opposite Terrace st.
15		1	School.	West side, opposite Winter st.
16		1	"	West side, South of Castle st.
67		1	Spring.	South side, opposite Townes st.
74	2-way.		Spruce.	South side, East cor. Forest st.
14	2-way.		Summer.	North side, opposite Middle st.
90	2-way.		Tannery.	Near Tannery.
68		1	Taylor.	North side, opposite Townes st.
70		1	Union.	North side, near West cor. Green st.
84		1	Valley.	East side, 500 feet from Water st.
124	2-way.		Vernon.	North side, West cor. of Elm st.
28	2-way.		Washington.	East side, North of City Hall.
27	2-way.		"	East side, North cor. of Spring st.
26		1	"	West side, North cor. of Mechanic st.
25		1	"	West side, North cor. of Union st.
24		1	"	West side, North cor. of Cross st.
23		1	"	West side, South cor. of High st.
22		1	"	West side, North cor. of Maple st.
97		1	"	East side, opposite Washington Ave.
125		1	"	East side, North of George st.
98		1	Washington Ave.	North side, West cor. of Ellis Ct.
63		1	Water.	North side, front Stephen Randall's.
64		1	"	South side, West cor. of Grove st.
65		1	Water.	North side, 500 feet East of Railroad.

No.	Post.	Flush.	Street.	Location.
94		I	Water.	North side, West cor. of Valley st.
95		I	"	South side, top of hill.
29	2-way.		West.	North side, West of Kirk & Sewell's.
30	2-way.		"	North side, front of H. Colony estate.
31	2-way.		"	North side, East cor. of Colorado st.
32	2-way.		"	North side, East cor. of Ashuelot st.
85		I	"	South side, West cor. of Island st.
86		I	"	South side, East cor. of Pearl st.
87		I	"	North side, West of Pearl st.
88		I	"	North side, East cor. Park Ave.
89	2-way.		"	North side, opposite Tannery place.
142		I	"	North side, front of Foster house.
61	2-way.		Winchester.	North side, opposite Madison Ct.
62	2-way.		"	North side, West of Railroad.
157	2-way.		"	North side, opposite Winchester Ct.
110		I	"	South side, West cor. of Winchester Ct.
111		I	"	West side, South of school house.
112		I	"	West side, 500 feet South of school house.
113		I	"	West side, at Burnap Ct.
114		I	"	West side, front of brick house.
115		I	"	East side, near Williams' house.
116		I	"	East side, near Hamblet's house.
71	2-way.		Winter.	South side, opposite Middle st.

## RECAPITULATION.

Post, 4-way,	I
Post, 3-way,	2
Post, 2-way,	63
Flush, 2-way,	89
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## REGULATIONS.

## APPLICATION FOR CONNECTIONS AND SUPPLIES, ETC.

Applications for the use of water, or for the connection of any service pipes or fixtures to supply any premises shall be made to the Superintendent by a written request, stating the requirements of the applicant, with an agreement to conform at all times to the current rules and regulations which may be established in relation thereto; and no person shall be allowed to connect any service pipe to the pipes of the works by tapping or otherwise, without a written permit from the Commissioners or Superintendent; and all trenching, or other work incident to laying or repairing water pipes in any street or public ground shall be subject to their supervision and approval. Also, the location, capacity, quality and general character of any pipe or other fixings used, whenever the interests of the works may be affected thereby.

Each service pipe connected to any street main or distributing pipe belonging to the works, shall, near the sidewalk, be provided with an iron extension stop box, the cover of which shall be flush with the sidewalk or top of ground; also with suitable stop and waste cocks (on premises of the user), for shutting off and discharging the water from all pipes or fixtures liable to injury from the action of frost.

The cost of all service pipes and fixtures to be paid by the applicant, and computed as from the centre of the street where the connection is made, except in cases where the Commissioners shall consider it proper for the expense to be otherwise charged; and the applicant or user shall at all times keep the same in good order to prevent leakage or waste of water; and no continuous flow of water, to guard against frost or for any other purpose, will be allowed, except in special cases where an agreement is made as to conditions and rates.

EXAMINATION AND OVERSIGHT OF FIXTURES AND SUPPLIES,  
ETC.

All persons using water, or whose premises are furnished with pipes connected with the water works, are required to give due notice of any changes involving any increase in use of water; also, to allow the Commissioners, the Superintendent, or his assistants to make personal examination of all fixtures between the hours of eight a. m., and six p. m.; also, to answer correctly all proper inquiries in relation to the quantity, purposes and manner in which water is used upon their premises, so far as may be deemed necessary for a faithful supervision of the same; and any person who shall make false representations in regard to the amount of water used, or who shall allow any other person or family to take or use water from his fixtures, or shall use it for any purpose not included in their contracts or payments, without the consent of the Commissioners, thereby intending to evade or defraud in the payment of rates, shall be subject to payment of double rates therefor or to such other penalties as may be provided by law.

Any person whose premises are supplied with service pipe and fixtures, allowing tenants or others to take or use water from same, will be holden for the payment for water so used or taken, unless such tenants or other persons shall have made application to the Superintendent, and complied with the requirements in regard to such use.

## PROVISIONS FOR SHUTTING OFF SUPPLY, ETC.

In cases of misrepresentation, misuse or waste of water, non-payment of rent, or for neglect or refusal to comply with the established rules and regulations of the water works, the Commissioners may cause the supply to be shut off and withheld from any service pipe until the cause of the complaint is removed, and the sum of two dollars is paid for the expense of shutting off the water.

And in case two or more several parties or families are

supplied by any service pipe from which the water may be shut off on account of the failure of any one of them to comply with the established rules and regulations, the supply may be withheld from them without liability in damage to either of them until the defaulting party shall remove the cause of complaint.

And if any person shall, without permit, turn on the water at any corporation or private stop-cock, when it has been shut off on account of any violation of rules, until all costs are paid and all causes of complaint are removed, such person or persons using water therefrom, shall be liable to payment of three-fold rates and such other penalties as may be recovered by law.

The right to shut off water for repairs, extensions, and other necessary purposes of the works, is at all times reserved; also, in case of scarcity, or deficient supply, the use for garden hose and other purposes for which comparatively low rates are charged, are to be subject to such restrictions as may be deemed necessary to meet the exigencies of the occasion. And in case of fire, it is the duty of all users to shut off and discontinue, as far as practicable, all draughts from the works which may lessen the pressure at the fire hydrants.

#### RULES FOR PLUMBERS.

Plumbers will not be allowed to start on any work until they have a written permit, signed by one of the Commissioners, or the Superintendent, or his regular appointed assistant.

Every plumber who shall set up any pipe or fixtures in connection with the water works or sewers, or shall make repairs upon, additions to, or alterations of the same, shall, within three days after the same shall be completed, fill out and return to the Superintendent the blank form of permit, showing the number and kind of fixtures, location of stop box, etc., under the penalty of having his license revoked.

The Superintendent's office shall be notified twenty-four hours in advance when work will be ready for inspection.



## ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF RENTALS, ETC.

Semi-annual assessments of rents for use of water are made on the first days of June and December, and are payable to the Collector, who will be at his office at suitable times for that purpose, of which due notice will from time to time be given; and all regular patrons of the works, making payment within forty days from the date of any such assessment—with the understanding that no rebate is to be claimed for any temporary discontinuance of any use for which payment is made—shall be entitled to a discount of twenty per cent. from the regular rates; and all rents not paid in advance or during the forty days from the date of assessment as aforesaid, are to be charged at full advertised rates, and to be deemed due and payable at the expiration of the six months' use.

## SCHEDULE OF ANNUAL RATES.

For the ordinary and legitimate uses of each family having the usual kitchen fixtures only, and not including use for watering gardens or other purposes, as follows:

For first four persons or less,	\$5 00
For each additional person,	50
For each additional room supplied with fixtures, not otherwise rated,	1 00
For one bath tub,	4 00
For each bath tub exceeding one,	2 00
For one water closet,	4 00
For each water closet exceeding one,	2 00
Boilers for water or steam heating,	\$1 25 to 10 00
Hose or hydrant for garden or lawn sprinkling (for four months),	4 00
And upward according to use required.	
Ornamental fountains (limited use),	6 00
Hotels, for each room to twenty-five,	1 00
Each room exceeding twenty-five,	50
Hotel stables, each stall to ten,	1 25

Hotel stables, each stall exceeding ten,	\$0 50
Livery stables, each horse to twenty,	2 50
Each horse exceeding twenty,	1 00
Private stables, for first two horses, each,	2 50
Each horse exceeding two,	1 25

Water for washing carriages to be included in stable rates.

Oxen or cows, each,	\$1 25
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Special rates for large number.

Restaurants, apothecaries and photographers, \$8 00 to 12 00	
Stores or shops using moderate quantities of water,	5 00
Rooms used exclusively as offices,	2 50
Meter rates $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 15 cents per 1000 gallons.	

Drinking fountains and watering places for public use, and hydrants or fixtures for the protection of the property of any private individuals against fire, provided and maintained at private expense by approval of the Commissioners, free.

For all other purposes not enumerated, special rates may be made by the Commissioners. Rates for temporary uses, or for periods of less than one year, may be charged at an advance of fifty to one hundred per cent. on the schedule of annual rates, according to the season and nature of the use.

The minimum rate for garden hose or lawn sprinkler is based upon the use of a one-fourth inch jet or its equivalent, not exceeding one hour each day for the season of four months from June to September, and no deduction will be made for partial discontinuance of use.

The rate for ornamental fountains is based upon the equivalent of a one-sixteenth inch jet at standard pressure averaging not exceeding four hours' daily use during the months of June to September, inclusive, and subject to such other restrictions as occasion may require, without deduction for partial discontinuance of use.

Approved and adopted by the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners for the city of Keene, April 13, 1889.

## CONSUMPTION OF WATER.

The house to house inspection and the introduction of water meters has reduced the consumption of water about three hundred thousand gallons per twenty-four hours, leaving the average daily consumption about 1,300,000 gallons.

This could be reduced to 1,000,000 gallons daily by a more liberal use of meters and by the takers being more careful about their fixtures and waste.

Ninety-four leaks have been repaired during the past year. Five iron pipe joint leaks and one iron pipe burst, caused by the pipe freezing where it crosses the river over Island street bridge. This pipe has been relaid under the bridge on the bed of the river.

Eighty-eight leaks were in cement lined pipe, of which twenty-three were in pipes that have been replaced with cast iron.

Sixty-five leaks were in pipes that are now cement lined.

The cost for repairing the leaks for the year has averaged about fifteen dollars each, not including the damages paid for the West street leak.

Besides the leaks in the main pipes there have been a large number of service pipe connections rusted off which have to be repaired by the department.

The old flush hydrants have given considerable trouble. About all of them have had to be repaired.

The following streets have been changed from cement lined to cast iron pipe :—Winter street, Summer street, West street from Main to Island street, and from Park avenue to Tannery street, Tannery street, Winchester street from east of Madison court to Winchester court, Main street from West street to Emerald street, Emerald street from Main street to near Ralston street, and Washington street from Roxbury street to Mechanic street.

A new flume was built at Echo Lake and an iron gate set. A little work will have to be done another year which was prevented the past year by high water.

Nine water meters are in operation and are giving good satisfaction.

I would respectfully recommend the following changes be made the coming year :

1st. That the cement lined pipe in the following streets be changed to cast iron pipe :—Beaver street, from Washington street to Roxbury street via Lincoln street ; Water street from Main street to Lincoln street ; Main street from Emerald street to Appian Way ; West street from Pearl street to Park avenue ; Park avenue from West street to Chesterfield road ; Colorado street from West street to Castle street ; Castle street from Colorado street to School street ; School street from Court street to West street ; Cross street from Court street to Washington street ; Washington street from Mechanic street to Washington avenue ; Ralston street from Winchester street to Emerald street ; Dunbar street from Main to connect with iron pipe now laid near the shoe shop.

2d. That in addition to the above the following streets be changed if possible :—Lincoln street from Roxbury street to Water street ; Valley street from Water street to Church street ; Union street from Elm street to Washington street ; Spring street from Washington street to Franklin street ; Franklin street from Roxbury street to Beaver street ; Railroad street from Main street to Beaver Mills ; Davis street from Main street to Ralston street.

3d. That enough meters be purchased to meter all the large consumers.

Respectfully submitted,

P. F. BABIDGE,

Superintendent.

## SEWER DEPARTMENT.

No. of connections reported Dec. 1, 1889,	518
Additions to Dec. 1, 1890,	65
Whole number,	<u>583</u>

## RECEIPTS.

Received for permits,	\$295 00
Deposited with City Treasurer,	295 00
Due, \$30.	

## MAINTENANCE.

Paid P. F. Babbidge, salary as Superintendent,	\$399 96
Pay roll, labor,	386 60
H. W. Hubbard, repair of tools,	8 40
R. Ray, repair of tools,	40
C. Bridgman, oil,	90
Davis, Wright & Co., labor and stock,	7 35
W. H. Spalter, books, etc.,	2 00
Knowlton & Stone, cement and rope,	18 17
Wilkinson & McGregor, repairing hose,	1 25
S. Spaulding, rubber boots,	3 50
	<u>\$828 53</u>

## SEWERS.—SPECIAL APPROPRIATION.

## APPIAN WAY.

Paid Spencer & Co., pipe, cement, etc.,	\$149 86
Knowlton & Stone, pipe, cement, etc.,	5 81
From stock, flush tank casting,	30 50
Pay roll, labor,	94 11
	<u>\$280 28</u>

## TERRACE STREET.

Paid Knowlton & Stone, pipe, cement etc.,	\$69 52	
Flush Tank Co., castings,	32 50	
Connecticut River R. R., freight,	1 10	
Pay roll, labor,	36 78	
	<hr/>	\$139 90

## NEW SEWERS.

## CHURCH STREET.

Paid Knowlton & Stone, pipe, cement, etc.,	\$29 00	
Pay roll, labor,	40 56	
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## FOREST STREET.

Paid Knowlton & Stone, pipe, cement, etc.,	\$31 48	
Pay roll, labor,	21 95	
	<hr/>	\$53 43

## GREENLAWN STREET.

Paid pay roll, labor,	\$34 09
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## SPRING STREET COURT.

Paid pay roll, labor,	\$22 62	
	<hr/>	\$599 88
Cost of sewers reported Dec. 1, 1889,	82,600 19	
Total cost of sewers Dec. 1, 1890,	<hr/>	\$83,200 07



## SEWER PIPE LAID IN 1890.

	LENGTH. Diam. 6 in.	Tank.
Appian Way,	1,325	1
Terrace street,	520	1
Church street,	250	
Forest street,	200	
Greenlawn street,	350	
Spring street court,	175	
	<hr/> 3,820	<hr/> 2

## KEENE SEWERS.

MAINS AND LATERALS IN USE DEC. 1, 1890.

STREET.	M	H	Tank	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	15 in.
Appian Way, . . . . .	.	.	1	1325	.	.	.	.
Beaver, . . . . .	.	.	3	1100	.	.	.	.
Beach, . . . . .	.	.	.	760	.	.	.	.
Butler, . . . . .	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1085
Carroll, . . . . .	.	.	1	430	.	.	.	.
Central Square, . . . . .	2	.	.	280	.	285	.	.
Centre, . . . . .	.	.	1	370	.	.	.	.
Church, . . . . .	3	1	.	2690	850	.	.	.
Colorado, . . . . .	.	.	1	500	.	.	.	.
Coolidge, . . . . .	.	.	1	340	.	.	.	.
Court, . . . . .	2	.	.	3120	.	655	.	.
Cross, . . . . .	.	.	2	1000	.	.	.	.
Dunbar, . . . . .	.	.	1	1200	.	.	.	.
Dover, . . . . .	.	.	.	880	.	.	.	.
Douglas, . . . . .	.	.	1	680	.	.	.	.
Davis, . . . . .	3	.	.	.	.	.	1400	.
Elliot, . . . . .	.	.	1	880	.	.	.	.
Elm, . . . . .	.	.	.	1690	.	.	.	.
Forest, . . . . .	.	.	.	350	.	.	.	.
Franklin, . . . . .	.	.	1	960	.	.	.	.
Grant, . . . . .	.	.	1	600	.	.	.	.
Green, . . . . .	.	.	.	450	.	.	.	.
Grove, . . . . .	.	.	1	750	.	.	.	.
Greenlawn, . . . . .	.	.	.	350	.	.	.	.
Harrison, . . . . .	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	560
High, . . . . .	.	.	3	1538	.	.	.	.
Howard, . . . . .	.	.	1	350	.	.	.	.
Kelleher, . . . . .	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1040
Lincoln, . . . . .	.	.	2	1930	.	.	.	.
Main, . . . . .	5	5	.	5190	775	240	1022	.
Marlboro', . . . . .	.	.	1	1760	.	.	.	.
Mechanic, . . . . .	1	1	.	450	320	.	.	.
Middle, . . . . .	.	.	1	325	.	.	.	.
North, . . . . .	.	.	.	150	.	.	.	.
Oak, . . . . .	.	.	1	505	.	.	.	.
Pleasant, . . . . .	.	.	.	480	.	.	.	.
Prospect, . . . . .	.	.	1	260	.	.	.	.
Page, . . . . .	.	.	1	395	.	.	.	.
Ralston, . . . . .	3	.	.	.	.	.	680	.
Roxbury, . . . . .	2	2	.	2340	800	.	.	.
School, . . . . .	.	.	1	1720	.	.	.	.
Spring, . . . . .	.	.	1	745	.	.	.	.
Spring Ct., . . . . .	2	.	.	175	.	.	750	.
Summer, . . . . .	.	.	1	690	.	.	.	.
Taylor, . . . . .	.	.	1	500	.	.	.	.
Towne, . . . . .	.	.	.	190	.	.	.	.
Terrace, . . . . .	.	.	1	520	.	.	.	.

MAINS AND LATERALS IN USE DEC. 1, 1890.—*Continued.*

STREET.	M	H	Tank	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	15 in.
Union, . . . . .	..		2	740	..	..	..	..
Valley, . . . . .	..			1050	..	..	..	..
Vernon, . . . . .	..		1	320	..	200	..	..
Washington, . . . . .	..		1	2940	..	..	..	..
Water, . . . . .	..		2	2196	..	..	..	..
Willow, . . . . .	..		1	290	..	..	..	..
West, . . . . .	..		1	2330	..	..	..	..
Winchester, . . . . .	..			1380	..	..	..	200
Winter, . . . . .	..		1	850	..	..	..	..
Wilson, . . . . .	..		1	580	..	..	..	..
Beaver Main,* . . . . .	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	6180
City Hall, . . . . .	..		1	312	..	..	..	..
	51	52		53906	2745	1380	3852	9065

\* Private land.

## RECAPITULATION.

6-inch pipe, . . . . .	53,906 feet,
8-inch pipe, . . . . .	2,745 "
10-inch pipe, . . . . .	1,380 "
12-inch pipe, . . . . .	3,852 "
15-inch pipe, . . . . .	9,065 "
Total, . . . . .	70,940=13 miles, 2,308 feet.
Flush tanks, . . . . .	52
Manholes, . . . . .	51
Outlets, . . . . .	3
Inlets, . . . . .	2

AN ORDINANCE to regulate the House Drainage and the Connections with the Public Sewers.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Keene, as follows :

SECTION 1. The general care and management of the new sewers now in process of construction by the Drainage Construction Company, in Keene, shall be vested in Board of Water Commissioners after the same shall have been completed and turned over to the city, agreeably to the contract between said company and the city, and their power shall be subject to any limitations and restrictions contained now or hereafter in any ordinance, regulation or order of the City Councils ; and the members of said board shall receive such compensation for their services as may be determined by the councils, but they shall incur no debt against the city, except for necessary repairs and care, unless ordered by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

SEC. 2. The person serving as Superintendent of Water Works shall also be Superintendent of Sewers, and he shall receive such additional compensation for his services as the councils may from time to time determine. Said Superintendent of Sewers shall have supervision of the construction and repair of all house-drainage, and after the completion of the original contract shall superintend all repairs of said sewers and their connections ; and he shall keep a description, with plans, of the sewer and connections and an account of all expenses in his department, all under the directions of the Water Commissioners.

SEC. 3. Before any house-drain shall have been connected with said sewers, the owner thereof, or applicant, shall pay to the Superintendent of Sewers the following fees, viz : For every house-drain, five dollars for the connection, and all persons who have made such connections, or shall have made them before the completion of said sewers, shall pay said fees ; and their connections, drains, etc., shall be subject to this ordinance in all respects, and the Superintendent of Sewers shall see that all such connections, drains, etc., conform to the

requirements of this ordinance. All moneys collected by the Superintendent of Sewers shall be paid to the City Treasurer twice a month, and the treasurer shall keep the same as a separate fund.

SEC. 4. No plumbing, house-drainage or connections shall be done or made in connection with the sewer by any person not licensed to do such work by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, under a penalty of twenty dollars.

SEC. 5. The following regulations shall govern the planning of all house-drainage and house connections with sewers :

1. For each building there shall be a separate connection with the public sewer of four-inch salt-glazed vitrified pipe, which may extend from the sewer to within five feet of the house, and from thence the house-drain shall be of cast iron pipe, satisfactory to the Superintendent of Sewers, and shall extend upwards so that its upper terminus shall communicate directly with the open air in a manner which shall secure perfect ventilation. That portion of the soil or ventilating pipe above all fixtures may be of material and dimensions satisfactory to the Superintendent of Sewers.

2. No trap or any manner of obstruction to the free flow of air through the whole course of the drain and soil pipe will be allowed.

3. Every fixture shall be effectually trapped. No sink-drain pipe shall be more than one and one-fourth inches in diameter.

4. No privy-vault or cesspool shall be connected with the house-drain or sewer. When water-closets take their place, they shall be thoroughly cleaned out and filled with fresh, dry earth.

5. No subsoil drain shall be connected with the house-drain at any point, the house-drain being made and kept absolutely tight for the removal of foul water without the least opportunity for escape into the soil; and drain-pipe, waste-pipe or rain water conductors shall under no circumstances be connected with the house-drain.

6. Every water-closet shall be adequately flushed with water from a cistern above it; except that, where a cistern is liable to freeze, other methods may be permitted, providing that thorough flushing is secured. No closet shall be used which has a space between two water seals of more than two hundred inches capacity, or which has such space of any capacity, every part of the walls of which is not thoroughly flushed and washed at each use of the closet. Every water-closet apartment shall have a direct means of ventilation into the open air.

7. All soil and waste pipes shall be as direct as possible, and all parts of the work shall be so arranged that they may be at all times readily examined and repaired. Before the fixtures are placed in connection with the plumbing work of any house, and before the soil-pipe is connected with the drain, the outlet of the soil-pipe and all openings into it shall be hermetically sealed; the pipe shall then be filled with water to its top and every joint shall be carefully examined for leakage, and all leaks shall be securely closed before connections with the soil-pipe are made.

SEC. 6. All drain-laying, repairs and connections shall be made according to the following rules, and if any drain be constructed or repaired, or any excavations made for that purpose without a permit in writing from the Superintendent of Sewers, or in a mode different from that described herein, the person doing such work and the owner or agent directing the same shall respectively be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars, and the person doing such work shall also forfeit his license for a period of six months.

#### RULES FOR DRAIN-LAYING.

1. Before any connection with the public sewer is made, or any house drainage put in, or any repairs on them, a permit must first be obtained and the plan proposed approved by the Superintendent of Sewers.

2. No pipes or other materials for drains can be used till



they have been examined and approved by the Superintendent of Sewers. All the work must be inspected by him and done to his satisfaction.

3. In opening any street or public way, all materials must be placed where they will cause the least practicable inconvenience to the public, and the whole enclosed with sufficient barriers and properly lighted at night from the beginning to the end of the work.

4. No street shall be opened until the Y branch of the sewer and the entire course of the drain to be laid shall have been precisely staked by the Superintendent of Sewers.

5. The least inclination that can be allowed for house drains is 1 in 60, without the written permission of the Superintendent of Sewers.

6. In the "house connection" every joint shall be laid with gasket and cement, and bedded in hydraulic concrete at least four inches in depth. The house-drain and soil-pipe must be caulked with lead so as to be both water and air-tight. All joints must be satisfactory to Superintendent of Sewers.

7. The ends of all pipes not to be immediately connected are to be securely closed water-tight, with imperishable materials. The inside of every drain, after it is laid, must be left smooth and clean throughout its entire length, and true in line and grade.

8. The back-filling over drains, after they are laid, must be puddled or rammed, all water and gas pipes protected from injury or settling, and the surface of the street made good within forty-eight hours after the completion of that part of the drain lying within the public way.

SEC. 9. This ordinance is to take effect from its passage, with this reservation, to wit: That nothing in it shall be construed in a sense that will relieve the Joint Standing Committee on Sewers and Drains from the performance of certain specific duties in relation to the sewers during their construction, as provided in a joint resolution passed January 18, 1883, nor to authorize any connection with the main sewer until the

same is delivered to the city by the Drainage Construction Company as per terms of their contract.

Passed July 21, 1883.

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The sewers are in good condition. The usual annual inspection was made, and very little trouble was found. If the people who use the sewers would be more careful and not put in whole newspapers, bottles, tin cans, dish rags, etc., there would be less trouble.

I wish to thank the Committee on Water Works and the Commissioners of Water Works and Sewers, for their kindness, courtesy, and advice.

Respectfully submitted,

P. F. BABBIDGE,

Superintendent.

## HIGHWAYS.

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### REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and City Councils :*

I herewith submit the following report as Superintendent of Highways in the City of Keene, for the year ending Dec. 1, 1890.

List of property in my possession :

6 horses,	\$1,000 00
8 harnesses,	200 00
3 carts,	225 00
1 wagon,	40 00
2 snow rollers,	150 00
2 iron rollers,	500 00
1 stone roller,	10 00
9 snow plows,	75 00
1 sled,	20 00
2 scrapers,	70 00
2 plows,	15 00
2 stone boats,	6 00
7 chains,	12 00
3 spread chains,	9 00
5 neck yokes,	9 00
6 halters,	6 00
12 blankets,	30 00
5 forks,	2 00
10 iron bars,	10 00

14 picks,	\$7 00
12 shovels,	3 00
3 stone pickers,	1 50
3 rakes,	1 50
3 hooks,	1 00
13 hammers,	20 00
2 tampers,	2 00
4 paving hammers,	4 00
60 hand drills,	18 00
Lot of shims and wedges,	2 00
12 jumper drills,	30 00
Set of fall blocks,	6 00
2 dump barrows,	2 00
3 saws,	1 00
6 bits and 1 stock,	1 00
1 pair pinchers,	50
2 augers,	1 00
5 hoes,	1 50
1 cant hook,	50
2 levels,	2 50
1 square,	50
Lot of rope,	1 00
6 snow shovels,	2 00
4 grates,	12 00
4 bog hoes,	1 50
2 bush scythes,	1 00
2 steel wedges,	1 00
6 points,	2 00
1 oil can,	1 00
3 brush hooks,	1 00
1 basket,	25
6 pails,	50
10 lanterns,	2 00
3 wrenches,	2 50
3 tons straw,	45 00
2 tons hay,	28 00

6,000 feet hemlock plank,	\$84 00
200 feet cross-walk stone,	75 00
Lot of paving stone,	15 00
110 feet 18-inch tile pipe,	20 00
70 feet mixed tile pipe,	10 00
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	\$2,799 25

There has been 3,180 feet of new drain pipe laid about the city this year. 1,450 feet of 8, 10 and 12-inch pipe on Court street, 450 feet 8-inch pipe on Summer street, 350 feet on Centre street; also 650 feet of 12-inch pipe on West street from the factory to Geo. Richards'.

There has been a large amount of work done on Court street, laying new pipe, putting in catch basins, and paving the gutters from the Square to School street.

Owing to laying concrete walks on Church street there had to be a large amount of work done, such as, cutting down the street, underdraining and curbing the sidewalks, at an expense of \$850.

There were repairs on Myrtle street, the street being raised and a new bridge with stone abutments built.

The north end of Lincoln street to George street, also, the north end of the new street from George street to Sullivan road have been built.

Owing to the laying of new water pipe on West street and the sandy condition of Park Avenue from West street to Chesterfield road, a greater expenditure has been necessary to restore them to a good condition than otherwise they would have received.

The grading of 6,228 yards for concreting cost \$923.34.

The old sewers have been thoroughly cleaned. Bridges, roads and sidewalks are in good condition.

The city has this year purchased a stone crusher, also a piece of land on Beech Hill, and located the crusher upon it, which is now ready for use in the spring.

For expenses on finance report I have deposited \$31.30 with City Treasurer, for work done and material sold.

Received for use of city pasture, \$90, which I deposited with City Treasurer. The fences have been repaired at the expense of the Highway Department.

Respectfully submitted,

E. A. NIMS,  
Superintendent of Highways.



## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

### REPORT OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER.

OFFICE OF BOARD OF ENGINEERS, }  
KEENE, N. H., DEC. 1, 1890. }

*To His Honor the Mayor and City Councils :*

Gentlemen.—In compliance with the city ordinance and in behalf of the Board of Engineers I present the following report of the Fire Department for the year ending Dec. 1, 1890.

The Department has responded to fourteen alarms in the city and one at Swanzey Factory in the past year—subjoined are the details.

Total value of property destroyed,	\$8,539 39
Insurance paid on same,	7,484 39
Loss over insurance,	\$1,055 00

#### FIRES AND ALARMS, 1890.

December 18, box 9, 12.30 a. m., head of Central Square, wood frame building owned by Elbridge Clarke, occupied by John Carpenter, harness maker; O. P. Murdick, confectionery; C. W. Wilber, meat and provision dealer. Loss on building, \$100.00; insured. John Carpenter, loss on stock, \$239.39; insurance paid, \$239.39. O. P. Murdick, loss on stock, \$65.00; insurance paid, \$65.00. C. W. Wilber, loss on stock, \$225.00; insurance paid, \$175.00. Cause of fire unknown.

December 22, box 9, 9 a. m., dwelling, wood frame, 54 Washington street, owned by Mrs. J. H. Wellington, occupied by Geo. M. Rossman. Loss on building, \$25.00; insured. Rossman, loss on furniture, \$125.00; insured. Cause of fire, careless way of setting an iron fire place.

January 21, box 46, 10.41 p. m., ice house owned and occupied by J. E. Heald. Loss on building and stock, \$175; insurance paid, \$175.00. Cause of fire, boys smoking.

January 25, box 43, 3.45 p. m., saw mill owned and occupied by Faulkner & Colony, on West street. Loss on building and contents, \$60.00; no insurance. Cause of fire, caught by sparks from a locomotive on Cheshire R. R.

July 10, box 16, 11 a. m., wood dwelling house, corner of Marlboro' and Grove streets, owned and occupied by Patrick Ryan. Loss on building and furniture, \$400.00; insured. Cause of fire, defective chimney flue.

July 22, box 17, 5.02 p. m., barn corner of Kelleher and Baker streets, owned by Mrs. Timothy O'Connors. Loss, \$50.00; no insurance. Cause of fire, supposed to have been set by children playing with matches.

July 24, box 53, 7.35 p. m., foundry owned and occupied by Humphrey Machine Co. Loss on building, \$3,000.00; insurance paid, \$2,130.00. Loss on contents, \$3,000.00; insurance paid, \$3,000.00. Fire caught in the boiler room.

August 3, box 13, 1.30 p. m., wood frame tenement house on Harrison street, owned by Gleason and Sawyer, occupied by Fred H. Hill. Loss on building, \$25.00; insurance paid, \$25.00. Fire caught under the attic floor in the L, it was thought that rats must have got some matches in there.

August 10, box 14, 2.30 a. m., false alarm.

September 27, box 32, 7.10 a. m., chimney burning out in a building known as the Sun Tavern, up Court street. No loss.

October 7, box 32, 9.45 a. m., wood frame tenement house, corner of Elm and High streets, occupied by E. H. Stone. Loss on building, \$25.00; insured. Loss on contents, \$25.00; no insurance. Fire caused by using liquid stove blacking.

November 8, box 13, 7.35 p. m., dry house at Beaver Mills, owned and occupied by Beaver Mills Co. No loss of any account, thanks to a good live watchman. It was supposed that some of the help dropped some matches in the house while getting out stock that day.

November 12, box 14, 6.50 p. m., shoe shop on Dunbar street, owned and occupied by C. B. Lancaster & Co. Loss on building, none. Loss on stock by water from sprinklers, \$1,000.00; insurance paid, \$1,000.00. Cause of fire, a pot of cement ignited while warming it over a gas jet.

November 22, box 17, 4.15 p. m., pottery on Main street, owned by J. S. Taft & Co. Fire caught in the fire room, no loss, workmen put it out, a needless alarm.

The Department at the present time consists of five engineers; Steamer and Hose Co., 25 men; Deluge Hose Co., 20 men; Washington Hook and Ladder Co., 20 men. Total 70 men. During the past year our Department has been greatly strengthened by the addition of another steamer and five more men to the Steamer Co.

We have at the present time one of the best Departments of its size to be found in New England. It is composed of good men, men that you can depend on in time of need.

I would earnestly recommend the improvement of the quarters of the Hook and Ladder Co., also, the Deluge Hose Co., by building for them suitable quarters on Vernon street east of the Steamer building. It seems to me to be the proper place for our Department, location and all being taken into consideration. The city at the present time owns six good horses, and if the Department is located here all together, I think it is all they will require for fire purposes for years to come.

I am glad to report that our hydrant service has been improved in the past year by increasing the size of our water mains, and discarding the old flush hydrants for post hydrants of an improved pattern; and, gentlemen, I wish to call your attention to the need of a better water supply for the protection of Dunn & Salisbury's chair shop, the Fitchburg Railroad

shops, also, N. G. Woodbury's pail shops, for I think our past experience has taught us that it is our duty as well as to our interests that we should give our manufacturing interests suitable protection against fire.

We have at the present in the vicinity of about 165 hydrants, and I would recommend that in the future they be set nearer to each other, as a plenty of them does away with using so much hose and also aids the firemen in getting water to the fire quicker.

The electric alarm system has given general satisfaction in the past year, and the great amount of time it saves in locating the fires becomes more apparent each year; and I would recommend a further extension of the system by the addition of more boxes this year.

I think we are very much in need of a first class modern Hook and Ladder truck, as this is a very important piece of apparatus, at a large fire, especially.

## INVENTORY OF PROPERTY.

Steamer, Button No. 3,	\$3,500 00
Steamer, Amoskeag No. 2,	4,000 00
Hand engine at Woodbury's mills,	350 00
Hand engine at South Keene,	350 00
Deluge hose carriage,	700 00
Phœnix hose carriage,	600 00
3 jumpers,	150 00
2 hook and ladder trucks, etc.,	1,200 00
Steamer hose carriage,	350 00
3 hose sleighs,	90 00
Cotton hose,	2,800 00
Fire alarms,	1,700 00
Engineers' lanterns,	25 00
6 hydrant gates,	20 00
1 Y coupling,	60 00
Rubber coats,	15 00
Uniforms of Steamer Co.,	225 00
Uniforms of Phœnix Hose Co.,	150 00

Uniforms Washington Hook & Ladder Co.,	\$190 00
Uniforms Deluge Hose Co.,	190 00
1 Siamese,	20 00
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	\$16,685 00

The expensés for the year will be found in the report of the Committee on Finance.

### FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.

Location of boxes and instructions to firemen and officers.

#### LOCATION OF BOXES.

- Box 6, Central telephone office.
- Box 9, Central Square, on city hall.
- Box 13, Beaver Mills.
- Box 14, Water street, corner Grove street.
- Box 16, Main street, corner Marlboro' street.
- Box 17, Main street, corner Elliot street.
- Box 23, Roxbury street, corner Beech street.
- Box 24, Beaver street, corner Dover street.
- Box 32, Elm street, corner High street.
- Box 33, Washington street, corner Gilsum street.
- Box 37, Mechanic street, corner Pleasant street.
- Box 42, West street, corner School street.
- Box 43, West street, near Faulkner & Colony's office.
- Box 46, Court street, corner School street.
- Box 52, Fitchburg Railroad repair shop.
- Box 53, Ralston street, corner Davis street.
- Box 72, West Keene.

Each box when pulled strikes its number on all the bells in the circuit and repeats four rounds if properly pulled in. Whenever a box alarm is sounded firemen will proceed *directly to the box pulled in*, unless sooner ascertaining the exact location of the fire.

## SIGNALS.

The following signals were adopted by the Board of Engineers, December 2, 1887 :

1. The Superintendent has the right to strike one blow upon the bells at any time, to test the circuit ; also to ring in one round from any box, preceded by a single blow, exactly five minutes after the noon stroke, on Saturdays, for the purpose of testing the boxes.

2. The signal 22 repeated on the bells is to call the firemen to their houses for further orders.

3. Two blows struck upon the bells after a fire alarm is a signal to "limber up," and recalls all firemen and apparatus to the engine houses unless specially detailed for duty.

4. In case of a serious fire the Engineers may cause a second alarm to be sounded from the nearest box. A second alarm is given by striking ten blows followed by the box number.

5. As box 9, which is located on city hall, is still likely to be used for a general alarm, and to be pulled for a fire which is *not* in or near the Square, the Engineers will ring in a second alarm of four full rounds from this box, if there is a fire of any magnitude near the Square.

6. The old alarm on city hall will only be rung between 9 p. m. and 6 a. m. except in case of serious fire.

7. Arrangements have been made with the Beaver Mills Co., and alarms of fire will be given on their whistle same as by the bells.

## GENERAL RULES.

Firemen as well as citizens should familiarize themselves with the following rules for giving alarms of fire.

1. Never pull a box for a fire seen at a distance.

2. Never pull a box while the alarm bells are ringing, nor until a box has completed its four rounds. Two boxes cannot operate together and neither will work if two are pulled at the same time. Never pull two alarms or two



boxes for the same fire. The Engineers will sound second alarms if necessary.

3. To ring in an alarm, break the glass in the key box and open the outside box door with the key. Pull down the brass crank, seen inside, *till it stops*, then let go. Then let the box alone. The clock will be seen or heard to be running, and the alarm will follow in half a minute or so. Close the box and remove the key.

4. Remember that the firemen will come directly to the box which has been pulled. See that they are directed to the fire, if necessary.

#### TELEPHONE ALARMS.

Box 6, which is located in the central telephone office, is the box which will be pulled to sound all alarms of fire sent in by telephone. When this box is pulled, firemen and all others can ascertain the location of the fire from the telephone office.

Do not send a telephone alarm if there is an alarm box within reasonable distance. Box alarms are always the surest and best. Telephones can seldom be used during thunder showers; the boxes can always be used.

To send in a telephone alarm, call the central office. Tell the operator slowly first the ward, then the street and house where the fire is situated. The operator will repeat, "Fire, ward so and so, such street or house." Answer, "All right," if you are correctly understood. If the fire is in South Keene or West Keene, give the fact instead of the ward number. The operator will then leave the telephone and sound the alarm.

#### CONCLUSION.

In closing my report of the year I will take this opportunity, in behalf of the Board of Engineers and myself, to extend our thanks to all members of the City Government, who have in any way rendered the Department assistance during the past year.

To Superintendent Babbidge and the Commissioners of the Water Board, our sincere thanks are due for prompt information of changes in system and for the many courtesies other ways rendered.

To my Assistant Engineers, and to all the officers and members of the Fire Department, my sincere and heartfelt thanks are due for their unselfish support, excellent deportment, devotion to duty, and for their gentlemanly zeal and efficiency, as manifested on all occasions; and may a good feeling of harmony be maintained and strengthened for years to come, and may they never forget that a good, true fireman is always a gentleman.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY H. HAINES,

Chief Engineer.

Keene, December 16, 1890.

REPORT OF  
SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and City Councils:*

I hereby present the following report as Superintendent of Electric Fire Alarm.

There has been during the year fourteen alarms, one false, and one from box 13 that did not work, owing to the grounding the wires coming in contact with other wires.

Our wires are in better condition than at any time in the past three years, owing to a thorough trimming of trees where they came in contact with the wires, which has reduced the cost of maintenance of batteries.

Our battery room is very unsatisfactory, as it is impossible to maintain an even temperature there and adds greatly to the cost of battery material.

The gongs and strikers are in good condition, but the boxes should be returned to the manufacturers to have parts substituted and late improvements added.

Respectfully submitted,

G. M. ROSSMAN,

Superintendent of Fire Alarm.

## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

*To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen :*

The Trustees of the Keene Public Library submit herewith their thirteenth annual report :

## BOOK AND REPAIR ACCOUNT.

DR.

To balance from 1889, unexpended appropriation,	\$57 80	
appropriation for 1890,	500 00	
amount received from fines and catalogues,	57 45	
	<hr/>	\$615 25

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By amount paid for books and magazines,	\$321 51	
amount paid for repairs on books,	70 99	
balance to new account,	222 75	
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## ORDINARY EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

DR.

To balance from 1889, unexpended appropriation,	\$119 18	
appropriation for 1890,	500 00	
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## CR.

By salary of Librarian,	\$300 00
amount paid Assistant Librarian,	70 18
amount paid gas bills,	44 00
amount paid insurance,	45 67
amount paid copying catalogues and printing,	32 79
amount paid for library cases,	43 35
amount paid for supplies,	29 14
amount paid for cleaning and incidentals,	13 25
balance to new account,	40 80
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	\$619 18
Number of books added to the library,	497
Number of books added by purchase,	174
Number of books added by gift,	323
Number of books lost,	2
Number of books discarded,	187
Number of books now in the library,	7,485
Number of cards issued,	234
Largest number of books drawn in one month (March),	2,455
Largest number of books drawn in one day (March 1),	219
Whole number of volumes issued for the year,	20,396

The following have given books to the Public Library during the past year and are gratefully named: F. L. Pope, W. Woodruff, Miss Merrill, Miss Ingersoll, Mrs. Dorr, also the U. S. Government and the State of New Hampshire. "The Nation" has been received for the reading room by the kindness of Miss Dinsmoor, also the N. H. Sentinel and the Cheshire Republican from their proprietors.

The Ingersoll donation of 250 volumes is a valuable addition to our literary treasures.

Mrs. Dorr has handsomely supplemented former similar gifts by a donation of 49 well bound volumes of "Littell's Living Age." This valuable publication comes now so near to completeness upon our shelves that we hope that the few breaks may be filled and the series made entire.

Fewer books have been added to the library by purchase this year than usual, owing to the larger number accruing by donation and the impossibility of shelving them. New cases and a re-arrangement of space give now better facilities for new books. These opportunities will soon be utilized.

The Trustees following the lead of the larger and most successful lending libraries of the country have, experimentally, adopted the plan of sending out the books without the extra paper covers. We believe that the increased pleasure which comes from using the books in their most attractive dress will instinctively lead the patrons of the library to treat them with additional care and respect.

The recent noble benefaction of Mr. Coolidge, and the acquisition by the city of the Symonds legacy, both designed for a new Public Library building and its equipment, are regarded by the public with satisfaction and have undoubtedly incited an exceptional interest in the library prospects.

Gifts have been the source of the principal libraries which have ever or anywhere been found. It is not easy to conceive that a benevolent and enlightened citizen can leave a more evidently useful monument than a Public Library building, or do a more popular act than to make a donation of books to a Public Library, or secure a more pleasing or lasting memorial not only to his own times but to future ages, than an endowment for the continuous purchase of books, on which his name might be inscribed as a benefactor.

The Trustees cannot close this report without expressing their sense of the intelligent, conscientious and faithful work done for the Library by Mrs. Converse, the Librarian. Without her interested co-operation the best devices of the Trustees would be of no effect.

M. R. OSBORNE.  
L. B. BALDWIN.  
KATE L. TILDEN.  
CHARLES H. HERSEY.  
MARY B. DINSMOOR.  
WM. P. CHAMBERLAIN.



## REPORT OF CITY CLERK.

*To His Honor the Mayor and gentlemen of the City Councils :*

I herewith submit the following report of my receipts for the year ending December 1, 1890.

Rent of Stores in City Hall building,	\$1,519 05
Knowlton & Stone, rent of land,	20 00
Concrete assessments, 1889,	754 70
Billiard licenses,	109 99
Circus licenses,	53 00
Town of Marlboro', services at fire, 1889,	4 00
E. Munsell, use of Steamer and Hose,	15 00
Suit, City vs. Darling,	41 61
Public Library, fines, etc.,	57 45
Acct. James Marsh estate,	54 75
Rent of Reservoir,	140 00
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	\$2,769 55
Deposited with City Treasurer,	\$2,769 55

Very respectfully,

J. P. WELLMAN,

City Clerk.

## REPORT OF CITY MESSENGER.

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*To the Honorable City Councils:*

I have the honor to submit my report as City Messenger from December 1, 1889, to January 3, 1890:

Received for rent of City Hall,	\$171 00
Deposited with City Treasurer,	\$171 00

E. O. KEITH,  
City Messenger.

## REPORT OF CITY MESSENGER.

*To the Honorable Mayor and City Councils:*

I have the honor to submit my report as City Messenger from Jan. 7, 1890, to Dec. 1, 1890.

## RECEIVED FOR RENT OF CITY HALL.

January,	\$34 00
February,	115 50
March,	87 00
April,	174 00
May,	137 00
June,	110 00
September,	100 00
October,	184 00
November,	126 00

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Total,	\$1,067 50
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Total paid to Treasurer,	\$1,067 50
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Respectfully submitted,

A. G. HENSHAW,

City Messenger.

Keene, Dec. 8, 1890.

## REPORT OF CITY MARSHAL.

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*To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen :*

GENTLEMEN.—I respectfully present the following report of the doings of the Police Department for the year ending November 30, 1890.

### ORGANIZATION.

The police force of Keene at the date of this report consists of the following officers :

City Marshal — E. R. Locke.

Night Watchman — A. W. Hunnewell.

The following named special officers are subject to call :

E. B. Chapman.	Fred H. Wilson.
William H. Reyoun.	A. F. Sprague.
Henry H. Haines.	Frank W. Nims.
F. A. Harrington.	Jas. H. Smith.
W. S. Tuttle.	Charles Wright.
Reuben Ray.	Thomas W. Blakey.
Ralph J. Holt.	W. R. Scripture.
S. O. Gates.	J. S. Richardson.
Amasa Plastridge.	Frank Harmon.
Charles H. Spofford.	W. H. Buckminster.
A. G. Henshaw.	Milan K. Burt.
Geo. G. Wheelock.	Wyman Lawrence.
Columbus A. Mason.	Charles A. Chapin.
John King.	

Whole number of arrests has been :

129

Offences for which arrests have been made comprise :

Assault,

5

Breaking, entering and safe blowing,	2
Brawl,	4
Drunkenness,	110
Driving horse beyond point for which hired,	2
Malicious mischief,	1
Larceny,	2
Obstructing officer,	1
Receiving stolen goods,	1
Threatening,	1
Total,	129

Number of persons applying for food and lodging at the station house has been 131.

The following are a portion of the miscellaneous duties attended to during the year :

Buildings found open in night-time and secured,	29
Lights left burning by mistake and reported,	18
Parties notified to remove snow from buildings,	16
Parties notified to remove snow from sidewalks,	31
Fire alarms given,	2
Nuisances reported,	6
Nuisances suppressed,	34
Value of stolen goods recovered,	\$960
Value of goods found exposed and returned,	\$58

Cost of police service in Keene, as compared with other cities in New Hampshire :

Police service costs per capita the city of Portsmouth, \$.89 38-100; Manchester, \$.86 78-100; Dover, \$.58 25-100; Nashua, \$.48 21-100; Concord, \$.40 90-100; while that of Keene is only \$.23 35-100.

The working force although smaller in proportion to the population, the preservation of order and the suppression of crime will compare favorably with any city.

During the year no general disturbance has occurred, and although several offences against property have been committed, the Department has been quite successful in recovering both lost and stolen property. And may I not be allowed to

congratulate our law abiding citizens, my officers and myself, upon the flattering exhibit of our labors in this branch of our Department?

I desire to express my thanks to all the members of the Department for the prompt and faithful manner in which, on all occasions, they have performed their duties.

In conclusion I desire to express my thanks to His Honor the Mayor for his suggestions, council and personal favors; also, to the Board of Aldermen, Common Council and members of the various departments of the city government, for their courtesy and kindness extended to me during the year.

I have the honor to be your obedient servant,

E. R. LOCKE,

City Marshal.



## REPORT OF CITY SOLICITOR.

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*To the Honorable Mayor and City Councils:*

The actions pending against the city are as follows, viz. :

*Josiah T. Colony vs. Keene.* This is a proceeding to recover damages for lowering the sidewalk in front of the plaintiff's house on Roxbury street. This matter is referred to the County Commissioners.

*Silas Hardy vs. Keene.* This is a proceeding in equity to foreclose a mortgage upon land in Roxbury which the city purchased for water purposes. The city holds an indemnity from the Keene National Bank against this incumbrance. This case was tried before Judge Allen since the regular session of the court in October, and the court has decided the case for the defendant. It is possible that the plaintiff may desire to transfer to the law term some question of law, so the case at the writing of this report is not finally concluded.

*Mary E. Jillson vs. Keene.* This is an action entered at the April term last to recover supposed damages on a supposed highway. At the April term a question of law was raised as to the said supposed highway being legally laid out, for otherwise no damages, if any were sustained, could be recovered. The case was reserved. The plaintiff's counsel took the case drawn by the Chief Justice, and no one has been able to find it since. For this reason the defendant's counsel moved to dismiss the action. The matter now rests in the hands of Judge Allen, and he will probably make some order in regard to it before a great while.

*John Humphrey vs. Keene.* This is an action to recover, as it is claimed, for the use of a derrick.

These are all the actions now pending against the city.

The actions of *Warren vs. Keene*, *Hart vs. Keene*, *Joslin vs. Keene*, and two actions of *Keene vs. Darling* have all been disposed of either by trial or under the direction of the city by agreement.

DON H. WOODWARD,  
City Solicitor.

## REPORT OF JUSTICE OF POLICE COURT.

### *To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen :*

The Justice of the Police Court submits the following report for the year ending December 1, 1890.

Number of civil cases entered, 12 ; number of complaints entered, 186 ; for the following causes, to wit :

Assaults,	9
Being drunk,	128
Brawl,	4
Breaking and entering,	3
Being common drunkard,	4
Driving horse beyond distance for which it was hired,	1
Fornication,	2
Larceny,	8
Malicious mischief,	1
Murder,	1
Obstructing officer,	1
Rape,	1
Receiving stolen goods,	1
To find sureties of the peace,	3
Violating liquor law,	19

These complaints were disposed of as follows :

Cases in which fines were imposed,	140
Persons sent to House of Correction,	14
“ sent to Industrial School,	1
“ tried and acquitted,	5
“ held to find sureties of the peace,	3
“ held to answer to Supreme Court,	7
“ not prosecuted to judgment,	13
“ who appealed to Supreme Court,	2

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Persons who paid fines,	113
Amount of fines imposed by Justice,	\$655 00
“ fines imposed by Special Justice,	12 00
“ fines paid to Justice for city,	644 00
“ fines paid to Special Justice for city,	4 00
Number of persons committed for non-payment of fines,	21

L. W. HOLMES, Justice.

Keene, December 1, 1890.

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR.

*To the Honorable City Councils :*

I submit my report as Overseer of the Poor for the year ending Dec. 1, 1890. During the year I have furnished aid to the county paupers as follows :

### COUNTY PAUPERS.

Mrs. Sarah Abbott,	\$148 04
Edwin Ballou,	333 35
Mrs. Daniel Coffee,	203 12
Mrs. John Donovan,	100 93
Mrs. Thomas Foley,	122 61
Mrs. Chas. Robinson,	103 61
Mrs. Mary Southwell,	146 14
Charles A. Seward,	232 50
Geo. W. Seward,	146 88
Sophia Smith,	51 85
Mrs. Malinda Priest,	63 00
Mrs. Esther Whitcomb,	61 90
James Foley,	33 85
Peter Marrion,	20 00
Mrs. Matilda Ginnis,	62 45
Raymond Laware,	14 34
Gilbert Field,	4 00
Mrs. V. Perry,	9 98
Mrs. M. Castor,	5 00
Mrs. F. L. Searl,	6 25
Mrs. Emily Champany,	64 11
John Ellis,	71 78
Mrs. Irvin Griffith,	194 62
Lawrence Monehan,	55 00

Julia Mead,	\$54 03
Martin Payne,	95 08
Mrs. Laura P. Bell,	26 40
Mrs. Geo. Clasby,	52 75
Erford A. Clark,	316 81
Alexander Cameron,	56 00
Mrs. L. M. Hubbard,	33 17
Mrs. Mary Mitchell,	78 07
Mrs. Lucy Miller,	128 15
Mrs. James Mahar,	77 28
Uriah Mosher,	223 07
Sylvia Snow,	136 83
Patrick O'Connor,	78 20
Wm. Ruffle,	48 47
Tower child,	17 42
Mrs. S. A. Carpenter,	180 30
John Durand,	28 06
James Greenwood,	192 00
John Ryan,	54 00
Mrs. Frank Cummings,	124 95
Mosher boy,	44 73
Mabel Prescott,	7 20
Mrs. Kate Donovan,	156 43
Mrs. J. K. Frame,	82 49
Mrs. Patrick O'Brien,	92 40
Mrs. W. S. Pollard,	27 74
Mary Shortell,	62 38
Cornelius Driscoll,	83 10
Miss Della Hubbard,	1 25
Mrs. James Murray,	11 25
A. Shackley,	13 80
John Huzzey,	50 00
Samuel Priest,	8 00
Mrs. Mary Marcott,	2 00
Jos. Parmer,	1 51
Mrs. Ann Center,	2 65
Abner Fisk,	70 40



W. L. Allen,	\$4 55
Mrs. C. Palmer,	1 50
Alfred Campagan,	16 50
Joseph Blanchard,	4 53
C. E. Harrington,	21 40
James Jackson,	9 00
Delia LaPort,	13 57
Transient,	10 95

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### AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND THEIR FAMILIES.

#### CITY AID.

Mrs. Mary McLaughlin,	\$72 00
Leonard Perham,	195 89
Nathan Gould,	3 00

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\$270 89

#### COUNTY AID.

Erastus Smith,	\$26 50
John Jolly,	60 65
D. D. Ware,	97 39
Louis Gabouries,	105 52
J. W. Pierce,	4 11
C. C. Sargent,	111 70
Mrs. Ann Dodge,	96 00
Mrs. C. B. Hastings,	96 00
Mrs. Edna Nims,	128 98
Mrs. Amos Howard,	19 28
Mrs. Anthony Pelkey,	27 30
H. W. Eastman,	6 08
Willard R. Graves,	50 75
C. H. Wilson,	56 00

John Barry,	\$64 84
Isaac Hadley,	43 69
Hial Elmore,	139 98
John Q. Kenison,	144 73
Geo. O. Harvey, paid by town of Winchester,	66 33
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	\$1,345 83

## CITY PAUPERS.

Mrs. Jerry Donovan,	\$200 21
Lizzie J. Pierce,	230 28
William Mackey,	78 00
Gardner C. White,	227 86
Mrs. J. O. Amadon,	336 00
James Esty,	130 33
Mrs. Mary Doyle,	221 52
Joseph Marsh,	51 75
Obed Dort,	97 50
Katharine Reardon,	64 15
Mrs. Timothy O'Connor,	56 63
Mrs. Norman Denio,	19 58
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	\$1,713 81

Henrietta Page, to be paid by town of Nelson,	\$16 00
Paid Samuel Priest, sawing wood,	3 00
J. B. Abbott, affidavits,	5 50
J. P. Wellman, affidavits,	3 00
Laton Martin, teams for Howland, 1889,	3 00
J. C. Joslin, rent shed for wood, 1889,	20 00
J. C. Joslin, rent shed to July, 1890,	5 00
Paid Chas. Batchelder, wood for pauper in 1888,	6 50

Cheshire County, $3\frac{1}{2}$ cords four-feet	
wood,	\$13 13
Cheshire County, 1 cord stove wood,	5 00
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	\$80 13
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	\$1,793.94

F. O. NIMS,  
Overseer of Poor.

## REPORT OF CITY PHYSICIAN.

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*To the Honorable City Councils:*

I respectfully submit my first annual report as City Physician.

Owing to the epidemic of diphtheria, the need of my services was much greater in the months of March, April and May than at any other time during my term of office. Six cases of diphtheria have appeared among the city poor, from which resulted two deaths. The whole number of professional calls made was 76, distributed as follows: Jan., 2; Feb., 1; Mar., 3; April, 6; May, 48; June, 3; July, 6; Aug., 1; Sept., 0; Oct., 2; Nov., 3; Dec. 1. Number of office visits, 15; deaths, 2.

Excluding the cases of diphtheria, the health of the city poor has been exceptionally good, the remaining cases being uniformly of a chronic nature. Great credit is due to the members of the Board of Health Commissioners, whose vigilance and untiring endeavors done much to control and subdue the epidemic. Much credit is also due to the Overseer of the Poor in responding quickly to the call of the needy sick for medicine and other comforts when required.

Respectfully,

WM. E. MALONEY,

City Physician.

## REPORT OF HEALTH COMMISSIONERS.

### *To the Honorable Mayor and City Councils:*

The Board of Health has examined some matters of complaint where the cause was trivial, and in some instances where no cause for complaint existed. In these instances no record has been kept in regard to them. In cases where some action was required to be taken a record of them has been kept. This record simply sets forth in brief how each case has been disposed of and what action the Board has taken.

Whole number of complaints and nuisances examined and of which we have kept a record during the year, are	101
Number of cases satisfactorily disposed of and the cause of complaint abated,	94
Number of cases where the abatement is not yet completed, but being completed by connecting with the public sewer,	4
Number of cases where connections with public sewer has not been made by reason of sale of property, death, high water, etc.,	3
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Although the number of cases examined and causes of complaint abated are in excess of those of last year, yet the sanitary condition of the city is much better. Many of the nuisances abated the present year existed last year and before. The Board can proceed to have connections made with the public sewer only as fast as people can get their plumbing and work done, and at times it has been necessary to give more time for this purpose. The Board has tried to be

reasonable and judicious in its requests, yet has strictly insisted upon the abatement of nuisances where they have existed, for no other course could be permitted, especially when diphtheria as a contagious disease was afflicting so many of our people. Only one case has been brought before the court for neglect, and in that case the respondent paid the costs with the understanding that no fine should be imposed, if he, with reasonable despatch, connected his premises with the public sewer.

There have been reported to the Board of Health during the present year cases of contagious diseases, as follows :

	Diphtheria.	Typhoid Fever.	Scarlet Fever.
January,	18	1	
February,	8		
March,	2		
April,	1		1
May,	11		
June,	18		
July,	3		
August,	5		
September,	10		
October,	2	2	
November,	1	1	
Dec. 8 (date of this report), 0			
	<hr/> 79	<hr/> 4	<hr/> 1

The location of the disease of diphtheria has been generally in streets where there is no sewer, or in residences where there was no connection with the public sewer. About one-half of the cases for the year occurred in the months of May, June and September, and taking these months as a sample of the whole, the location of the thirty-nine cases in those months will be found as follows :

Marlboro' st., east of Beaver brook,	No sewer.	10
West st., west of the bridge,	"	4
West st., east of the bridge,	Sewer, and connected.	1
Howard st.,	No sewer connections.	1
Church st.,	"	2

Winchester st. and Winchester st. court,	No sewer connections.	6
Green st.,	Sewer connections; bad sanitary conditions.	2
Grove st.,	“ “ “ “	1
Pearl st.,	No sewer connections.	5
Court st., north of sun tavern,	“	3
Page st.,	“	1
Red Row,	“	3

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From this statement, if from nothing else, the conclusion is that every residence which can be, should be connected with the public sewer as a matter of sanitation. The number of cases of diphtheria last year was 112, and this year, 79. The number of cases in October last year was 48, and in October this year, 2. In November last year, 27, and in November this year, 1. We think that this abatement of the disease is largely owing to what our people have done to make their dwellings more sanitary; and if the Board of Health have in some degree stimulated this result they will feel the greatest pleasure that seems to be connected with the office.

DON H. WOODWARD,

H. K. FAULKNER,

GEO. W. FLAGG,

Board of Health.



## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERIES.

*To the Board of Mayor and Aldermen :*

The following is an account of the receipts and expenditures for the year ending Dec. 16, 1890.

### RECEIPTS.

Received for lots,	\$945 00
“ C. S. Faulkner fund,	125 00
“ Salma Hale fund,	10 00
“ Tarbel Russell fund,	15 18
“ Rufus Gates fund,	1 67
“ for sand and loam sold,	43 00
“ for stone posts,	10 50
“ for grass,	10 00
“ for Bank to balance,	248 52
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	\$1,408 87
Amount in Bank Dec. 16, 1890,	\$482 36
Less amount drawn to balance,	248 52
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	\$233 84
Remaining in Bank Dec. 16, 1890,	233 84

### EXPENDITURES.

Paid labor, at Woodland and Greenlawn, Richardson, Donahue, Mason, Ry- an, Livermore, etc.,	\$1,053 11
E. W. Greenwood, bill,	15 00
A. W. Eastman, bill stone work,	35 00
Davis, Wright & Co., bill,	4 10

Spencer & Co., bill,	\$14 00
Skinner, bill powder,	19 11
Knowlton & Stone,	11 75
H. S. Black, care Cemetery, west part,	2 00
West Keene Cemetery, labor,	174 75
S. Wadsworth, surveying,	26 00
T. A. Hastings, bill lumber,	29 05
J. M. Reed, for fence posts,	25 00
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	\$1,408 87

In closing my report for the year, I would say that I have built most of the roads surveyed in Woodland annex, and all of the culverts are built of stone, so that they will not have to be repaired for years. I have also expended quite a sum in the Cemetery at West Keene all of which will show for itself.

N. G. GURNSEY,  
Superintendent.

## REPORT OF CITY LIQUOR AGENT.

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*To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen :*

The Agent for the sale of liquors submits the following report for the year ending Dec. 1, 1890.

Reported on hand Nov. 30, 1889.

14 gallons alcohol.  
 6    "   Holland gin.  
 6    "   Bourbon whiskey.  
 9    "   Medford rum.  
 4 7-8 "   cherry rum.  
 3    "   brandy.  
 5    "   sherry wine.  
 4    "   port wine.  
 3 ¼   "   cider brandy.  
 1 10-12 dozen porter, quarts.  
 3 ½    "   porter, pints.  
 1 10-12   "   ale, quarts.  
 ⅙       "   ale, pints.  
 4 bottles G. O. T. Whiskey.  
 6    "   brandy\*.  
 2    "   brandy\*\*\*.  
 2 ½ dozen lager.  
 4 lager cases.  
 2 barrels.  
 12 kegs.

Amounting to \$204.60.

Purchased of M. S. Brown, State Agent.

Dec. 26, 1889.

46 ½ gallons alcohol.

Jan. 18, 1890.

10 gallons Bourbon whiskey.

Apr. 24.

45 gallons alcohol.  
 10 gallons Bourbon whiskey.  
 1 case G. O. T. whiskey.

June 4.

10 gallons Medford rum.  
 4 7-8 gallons cider brandy.  
 2 cases lager beer.

Aug. 20.

10 gallons Bourbon whiskey.  
 10 gallons Holland gin.

Oct. 9.

47½ gallons alcohol.  
 4 7-8 gallons California brandy.

From which has been sold :

115¼ gallons alcohol.

7¼ " Holland gin.

28 " Bourbon whiskey.

15½ " Medford rum.

1 " cherry rum.

3⅜ " brandy.

⅜ " sherry wine.

1⅝ " port wine.

3½ " cider brandy.

1⅙ dozen porter, quarts.

1-12 " porter, pints.

11-12 " ale, quarts.

7 bottles G. O. T. whiskey.

2 11-12 dozen lager.

Amounting to	\$655 50
Barrels and kegs,	9 50

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 \$665 00

## EXPENSES.

Freight on liquors,	\$4 19
Faucets, etc.,	1 57

Lager bottles,	\$0 90	
Express on lager cases,	40	
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		\$657 94
Feb. 7, paid bill liquors,	\$110 67	
Mar. 3, " "	31 25	
June 4, " "	139 85	
July 8, " "	50 94	
Sept. 29, " "	65 50	
Nov. 24, " "	133 45	
Dec. 3, deposited with City Treasurer,	126 28	
	<hr/>	\$657 94

## Liquors in hands of Agent December 1, 1890.

37 $\frac{3}{4}$ gallons alcohol,	\$92 87
8 $\frac{3}{4}$ " Holland gin,	28 87
8 " Bourbon whiskey,	24 00
3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Medford rum,	8 75
3 $\frac{7}{8}$ " cherry rum,	8 33
4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " brandy,	14 63
4 $\frac{5}{8}$ " sherry wine,	11 56
2 $\frac{3}{8}$ " port wine,	5 94
4 $\frac{5}{8}$ " cider brandy,	15 03
$\frac{2}{3}$ dozen porter, quarts,	2 00
3 5-12 dozen porter, pints,	5 64
11-12 dozen ale, quarts,	2 75
$\frac{1}{6}$ dozen ale, pints,	32
8 bottles G. O. T. whiskey,	6 00
6 " brandy*,	8 50
2 " brandy***,	3 25
3 7-12 dozen lager,	2 69
2 lager cases,	5 00
4 barrels,	5 00

5 kegs,

\$5 00

5 kegs,

3 75

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\$259 88

A. H. GRIMES,

Liquor Agent.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me,

J. P. WELLMAN,

Justice of the Peace.

## REPORT OF PARK COMMISSIONER.

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### *To the City Councils:*

The amount appropriated for parks for the year 1890 was one hundred dollars. I have expended, mainly for nursery trees and shrubs, \$64.49, leaving unexpended, \$35.51. The committee appointed to construct a pavilion in Wheelock Park have attended to that duty, and the building is now nearly completed. The committee were of one mind as to keeping within the limits of the five hundred dollars at their disposal. The contract with Mr. Spaulding was for something less than that sum. The building, though not large, is thought to be sufficient for the purposes intended.

In large portions of Wheelock Park pine trees have sprung up like grass — unless mowed once in four or five years they will occupy the whole ground. I have continued to plant large numbers of red and white oaks and other trees suited to dry soils. Dry seasons retard their growth, and insect enemies abound. The grubs of a beetle kill the leading shoots of the pine tree. The leaf-cutter bees, though unseen, carry off by bits the first tender leaves of seedling trees, often killing the young oak and chestnut. Children learn with their eyes, and it has been thought that trees in public grounds should be chosen with some reference to their educational value. With this view I have planted many kinds, among others seven species of oak; in the Children's Wood and City Park I have planted rare ferns and flowers and nut-bearing trees. For future reference I subjoin a list of shrubs and trees planted the past season in one or the other place mentioned.

For boundary hedges I have chosen pines, hemlocks and honey locusts. For ornamental trees, pink-flowering and double horse chestnuts, scarlet hawthorns, tulip trees, Bolleana



poplars, nettle trees, hornbeams, willows, English, black, scarlet and mossy-cup oaks. For evergreens, white, Norway and Colorado spruces, Scotch pines, the Douglas fir and picea concolor. For shrubs I have gathered the native viburnums, mountain hollies, hazels, black alders and cornus. I am indebted to friends for white and Persian lilacs, syringas, Japan quinces, spireas, honeysuckles, and Russian mulberries. I have procured from nurseries golden elders, pepper bush, flowering currant, hydrangeas, white fringe, forsythia, callunas, altheas and barberries. The Douglas fir is expected to live eight hundred years; the scarlet thorne and pink horse chestnut in flowering time are the most attractive trees in the Boston Public Garden.

G. A. WHEELOCK,  
Park Commissioner.

## REPORT OF CITY COLLECTOR.

## REPORT FOR 1887 AND 1888.

Reported uncollected Dec. 9, 1889,	\$4,000 00
Deposited to Dec. 1, 1890,	\$336 00
Deposited after Dec. 1 to 16,	200 00
Abatements Dec., 1890,	809 02
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	\$1,345 02
Balance due,	<hr/>
	\$2,654 98

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL O. GATES,

Collector.

Keene, December 16, 1890.

## REPORT OF CITY COLLECTOR.

*To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen :*

I herewith submit the following report.

### WATER COLLECTIONS FOR 1890.

Amount 41st assessment,	\$8,182 78
Amount 42d assessment,	8,857 37
Amount arrears,	632 66
	<hr/> \$17,672 81
Amount paid and deposited, 41st assessment,	\$6,490 54
Amount paid and deposited, 42d assessment,	6,774 72
Amount paid and deposited, arrears,	481 32
	<hr/> \$13,746 58
Amount discount for advance payment, 41st assessment,	\$1,549 21
Amount discount for advance payment, 42d assessment,	1,677 64
	<hr/> \$3,226 85
Amount abatements, 41st assessment,	\$46 67
Amount abatements, 42d assessment,	36 33
Amount abatements, arrears,	85 74
	<hr/> \$168 74
Amount uncollected,	530 64
	<hr/> \$17,672 81
Have deposited more than above amount,	\$10.92.

## CONCRETE WALKS.

Amount uncollected Dec. 6, 1889,		\$96 75
Amount collected and deposited Dec. 27,	\$35 58	
Amount collected and deposited Dec. 11,		
1890,	15 00	
Amount abated,	3 90	
Amount uncollected,	42 27	
	<hr/>	\$96 75

## SPECIAL DRAIN.

Amount uncollected Dec. 6, 1889,		\$46 69
Amount collected and deposited,	\$24 24	
Amount uncollected,	22 45	
	<hr/>	\$46 69

## TAXES, 1889.

Amount uncollected Dec. 6, 1889,	\$22,578 24	
Amount added to book,	23 80	
Amount interest collected,	32 97	
Amount dog tax,	361 00	
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Amount collected and deposited,	\$21,621 69	
Amount of abatements,	913 63	
Amount uncollected,	460 69	
	<hr/>	\$22,996 01

## TAXES, 1890.

Amount called for on book,	\$91,870 90	
Amount collected and deposited to Dec.		
7,	\$65,850 00	

Amount collected and deposited to Dec.

16,

\$5,950 00

Amount uncollected,

20,070 90

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\$26,020 90

Respectfully,

ASA SMITH,

Collector.

# VITAL STATISTICS.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and Gentlemen of the City Councils :*

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June Session, 1887, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following :



# Births Registered in the City of Keene, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1889.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.			Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Par- ents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Child 1st, 2d, etc.								
Jan. 2	Marie E.		F	S	10	W	Keene.		Laborer.	Canada.	Canada.	36	40
" 6	John.	M	F	L	1	"	"		Mechanic.	Richford, Vt.	Richford, Vt.		
" 8	Catharine.		F	L	3	"	"			Ireland.	Ireland.		
" 9	Pearl R.		F	L	1	"	"		Conductor.	Royalston, Vt.	Royalston, Vt.		
" 10	Linnet M.		F	L	6	"	"		Mechanic.	Winchester.	Winchester.	37	23
" 14			F	L	2	"	"		Laborer.	Loell, Wis.	Loell, Wis.	32	30
" 17			F	L	5	"	"		"	Sweden.	Sweden.	34	32
" 20	Sarah L.		F	S	3	"	"		Merchant.	Westmoreland.	—, Vt.		
" 26	Walter H.	M	F	L	12	"	"		Teamster.	Sullivan.	Brighton, Ms.		
" 28			F	L	12	"	"		Engineer.	Windsor, Vt.	Keene.	23	19
" 30	Leon E.	M	F	L	2	"	"		Brick Burner.	Canada.	Canada.	40	35
" 31	Annie.		F	L	3	"	"		Mechanic.	Fitchburg, Ms.	Grafton, Vt.		
Feb. 3	Ethel S.		F	L	7	"	"		Lawyer.	Keene.	Keene.		
" 7			F	L	1	"	"		"	St. Johns, N. B.	St. Johns, N. B.	27	21
" 10		M	F	L	5	"	"		Mechanic.	Marlow.	Gilsom.	32	26
" 11	Ethel C.		F	L	3	"	"		Farmer.	Keene.	Roxbury.		
" 20	Theodore.	M	F	L	3	"	"		Laborer.	Nova Scotia.	Nova Scotia.	30	31
" 22	Robert W.		F	L	5	"	"		Woodworker.	Marlow.	Nelson.		
" 27	Carl A.		F	L	4	"	"		Blacksmith.	Lancaster, Ms.	Marlow.		
Mar. 2			F	L	1	"	"			Canada.	Canada.		
" 5	Roxanna.		F	L	1	"	"		Teamster.	Clarendon.	Marlow.		
" 9			F	L	1	"	"		Insurance Agt.	Keene.	Keene.		
" 13			F	L	1	"	"		Manufacturer.	Keene.	Keene.		
" 15	Bessie.		F	L	12	"	"		Chopper.	Canada.	Canada.	37	36
" 23			F	L	6	"	"		Laborer.	Ireland.	Ireland.	56	28
" 25	Hul. C.	M	F	L	1	"	"		Teamster.	Enosburgh, Vt.	Vergennes, Vt.		
			F	L	1	"	"		Farmer.	Grantville, N.Y.	Keene.		
			F	L	1	"	"		Teamster.	Keene.	"		
			F	L	1	"	"		Mechanic.	Chesterfield.	Covington, Ms.		

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		Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.	Color.							
Mar. 26	Laurence H.	M		L	1	W		Keene.	Merchant.	Keene.	W. River Junc., Vt.	39	28
" 27	Bertie N.	M		L	5	"		"	Carpenter.	Acworth.	Walpole. [Vt.	38	31
" 27	Clifford H.	M		L	1	"		"	Laborer.	Keene.	Richmond. [Vt.	25	23
" 28	Cora Corey.	M	F	L	11	"		"	"	Keene.	Canada.		
Apr. 3	Maud A.	M	F	L	3	"		"	Farmer.	Troy.	Whiteingham,	32	30
" 5		M	F	L	3	"		"	Mechanic.	Randolph, Vt.	Canada.		
" 7	Catharine.	M	F	L	4	"		"	Painter.	Canada.	Claremont.		
" 9	Eugene G.	M	F	L	4	"		"	Farmer.	Ladlow, Vt.	Plymouth.		
" 10	John.	M	F	L	5	"		"	"	Keene.	Keene.		
" 11	Luella M.	M	F	L	7	"		"	Painter.	Lowell, Ms.	Lowell, Ms.	34	34
" 17	Mary.	M	F	L	1	"		"	Boxmaker.	Ireland.	Canada.	35	26
" 19	Helen I.	M	F	L	4	"		"	Painter.	"	Ireland.		
" 20	Ralph E.	M	F	L	1	"		"	Chair maker.	Winchend'n Ms	Vergennes, Vt.	49	37
" 21	Michael.	M	F	L	4	"		"	Book-keeper.	Ireland.	Keene.		
" 22	James H.	M	F	L	1	"		"	Brakeman.	Keene.	Ireland.		
" 23		M	F	L	3	"		"	Merchant.	"	"		
" 25		M	F	L	1	"		"	Engineer.	"	Clarion, Pa.		
" 25		M	F	L	3	"		"	Shoemaker.	Greenfield, Ms.	Vernon, Vt.	28	24
" 27	Julia M.	M	F	S	1	"		"	Conductor.	Keene.	Boston, Ms.	31	28
May 10.		M	F	L	2	"		"	"	Keene.	Keene.		
" 12	Josephine.	M	F	L	4	"		"	"	Canada.	Ireland.		
" 12	[Twins.]	M	F	L	7	"		"	"	Canada.	Canada.		
June 1	Helen.	M	F	L	1	"		"	"	Keene.	Keene.		
" 4	Edith M.	M	F	L	3	"		"	"	Burlington, Vt.	Keene.		
" 8		M	F	L	4	"		"	Wood Carver.	"	Lowell, Ms.	26	23
" 12		M	F	L	2	"		"	Laborer.	Keene.	Sullivan.		
" 13	Elizabeth.	M	F	L	1	"		"	Jeweller.	Holyoke, Mass.	Keene.		
" 19		M	F	L	5	"		"	Mechanic.	"	"		

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		Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.	Color.							
June 22	James E.	M		L	3	W		Keene.	Laborer.	England.	England.	31	28
" 23	"	M		L	4	"		"	Clerk.	Keene.	Chesterfield.		
" 25	Ralph E.	M		L	2	"		"	Insurance Agt.	Winchendon Ms	Keene.	28	26
July 5	"	M		L	4	"		"	Laborer.	Sweden.	Stoddard.	29	33
" 5	"	M		S	4	"		"	"	Burlington, Vt.	Sweden.		
" 9	"	M	F	L	4	"		"	Plumber.	Canada.	St. Albans, Vt.		
" 12	"	M		L	2	"		"	Brick Maker.	Burlington, Vt.	Lowell, Ms.		
" 12	"	M		L	2	"		"	Painter.	Burlington, Vt.	Keene.		
" 19	"	M		L	7	"		"	Marble Worker.	Keene.	"		
" 20	"	M	F	L	7	"		"	Engineer.	Fitzwilliam.	Swansey.		
" 22	John L.	M		L	7	"		"	Engineer.	Keene.	Keene.		
" 24	Chester B.	M		L	4	"		"	Farmer.	New Brunswick	Hinsdale.		
" 31	"	M		L	6	"		"	Laborer.	Ireland.	"		
Aug. 5	Maggie D.		F	L	4	"		"	"	Richmond.	Hinsdale.	34	36
" 7	Eugene C.	M		L	7	"		"	"	Sweden.	"	29	21
" 9	"	M	F	L	3	"		"	"	Charlestown.	Harrisville.		
" 12	Alden R. H.	M	F	L	4	"		"	Mechanic.	Keene.	Keene.	24	22
" 17	Frederick H.	M		L	1	"		"	Clerk.	Gilsum.	"	28	25
" 17	"	M		L	1	"		"	Farmer.	Sullivan.	Keene.		
" 22	Mary.	M		L	2	"		"	Laborer.	Canada.	"	39	39
" 27	Katie.		F	L	4	"		"	"	Ireland.	"		
" 29	"		F	L	2	"		"	Merchant.	Keene.	Ireland.		
" 31	"		F	L	9	"		"	Painter.	Richmond.	Boston, Ms.		
Sept. 5	Bessie M.	M	F	L	4	"		"	Spinner.	Keene.	Keene.		
" 11	"		F	L	3	"		"	Mechanic.	Westport, N.Y.	Plattsburg, N.Y.		
" 13	Leon A.	M	F	L	3	"		"	Editor.	Columbus, O.	Charlestown.		
" 16	Helen H.	M		L	1	"		"	Laborer.	Westmoreland.	Gilsum.	25	20
" 16	"		F	L	1	"		"	"	Gardner, Ms.	Langdon.	42	34
" 17	Mary.		F	L	5	"		"	"	Canada.	St. Johnsbury Vt		

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		Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.								
Sept. 18	S Frankie.	M	F	L	2	Perley L. Hale.	Mary A.	W	Laborer.	Swansey.	Ireland.	26	25
" 18	Chas. F.	M	M	L	1	Wm. H. Nourse.	Della P.	"	Farmer.	Keene.	Bridgewater Vt.	26	25
" 20	Harry.	M	M	L	1	Elmer L. Sparks.	Alice P.	"	Merchant.	Keene.	Boston, Ms.	26	28
" 22		M	M	L	1	Wm. W. Exleth.	Mary E.	"	Laborer.	Roxbury.	Keene.	29	21
" 26		M	M	L	1	Wm. W. Carpenter.	Sarah.	"	"	Keene.	England.	39	29
" 28	Carl C.	M	F	L	3	Fred A. Parker.	Myrtle C.	"	Carpenter.	Antrim.	Harrisville.	39	29
Oct. 1	Paul R.	M	F	L	1	Herbert Foster.	Annie.	"	"	Stoddard.	Swansey.	22	21
" 1		M	F	L	3	Wm. H. Smith.	Katie L.	"	"	Sutton.	Lowell, Ms.	31	33
" 8	S Mary.	M	F	L	3	Thomas Toulan.	Bridget.	"	"	Ireland.	Ireland.	31	33
" 14		M	F	L	3	Colbert Auger.	Amelie.	"	"	Canada.	Canada.	54	29
" 18	Gladis.	M	F	L	3	Henry A. Pelkey.	Lizzie.	"	Mechanic.	Brattleboro, Vt.	Winchester.	23	34
" 20		M	F	L	3	Uriah Mosher.	Eliza.	"	"	Nova Scotia.	Nova Scotia.	23	34
" 23		M	F	L	3	Frank C. Potter.	Carrie M.	"	Laborer.	Fitzwilliam.	Marlboro.	26	21
" 28	Lee Barton.	M	F	L	1	Elmer U. Dow.	Lizzie R.	"	Chairmaker.	Sullivan.	Canada.	26	21
" 30		M	M	L	2	Ephraim Beday.	Mary.	"	Laborer.	Keene.	Keene.	25	24
Nov. 3		M	M	L	2	J. Hubert Wright.	Nellie.	"	Expressman.	Marlboro.	Troy.	35	35
" 10		M	M	L	1	Chas. W. Corey.	Eva H.	"	Box maker.	Hingham, Ms.	Hingham, Ms.	39	37
" 12	Earl Randall.	M	M	L	1	Joseph A. Lincoln.	Mabel R.	"	Com. Traveller.	Windsor Vt	Canada.	39	37
" 18	Harold J.	M	M	L	2	Chas. C. Shattuck.	Alice E.	"	Brick maker.	Canada.	Canada.	39	37
" 21	Mary A.	M	F	L	2	Peter Blake.	Lydia.	"	Painter.	Fitzwilliam.	Ireland.	39	40
" 21	Chas. E.	M	M	L	3	C. E. McGovern.	Mary.	"	Manufacturer.	Keene.	Ireland.	39	40
" 24		M	M	L	3	Fred A. Faulkner.	Emma.	"	Conductor.	Keene.	Keene.	39	40
" 24		M	M	L	3	George W. Tobias.	Eva.	"	Merchant.	Keene.	Keene.	39	40
" 25		M	M	L	3	Irving W. White.	Hattie.	"	Mill hand.	Keene.	Keene.	39	40
" 25		M	M	L	3	Isaac Champaugh.	Mary.	"	Mechanic.	Keene.	Keene.	39	40
" 28	Ellen.	M	F	L	4	William Laban.	Louisa.	"	"	Keene.	Keene.	39	40
" 30		M	F	L	4	David L. Merrifield.	Jennie S.	"	"	Keene.	Keene.	39	40
Dec. 4		M	M	L	2	Wm. A. Wilson.	Nellie S.	"	"	Keene.	Keene.	39	40
" 8		M	M	L	2	James Moore.	Ellen.	"	"	Keene.	Keene.	39	40
" 11		M	M	L	3	Henry A. Hammond.	Bridget.	"	"	Keene.	Keene.	39	40
" 16	Henry A.	M	M	L	2			"	"	Keene.	Keene.	39	40

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		Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.	Color.							
Dec. 18	Lillian B.		F	L	10	W	Raymond Leware.	Delia.	W	Keene.	Canada.	48	39
" 19	Richard C.	M		L	2	"	D. Seward Smith.	Lorena.	"	"	Keene.	32	30
" 22	J. Wesley.	M		L	1	"	Brainbridge L. Young	Edith E.	"	"	Keene.	32	30
" 24		M		L	2	"	Joseph L. Tower.	Amy.	"	"	Orange, Ms.	27	29
" 25		M		L	1	"	Waldo J. Wheeler.	Eugenie.	"	"	Richmond.	35	34
" 26		M		L	3	"	G. H. McCurdy.	Millie L.	"	"	Dublin.	27	29
" 27		M		L	1	"	Orley S. Mason.	Alice M.	"	"	Lowell, Ms.	35	34
" 28		M		L	1	"	Elmer E. Miner.	Viola.	"	"	Chesham.	27	25
" 28	Benj. Harrison.	M		L	3	"	Lewis A. Butler.	Louie.	"	"	Northfield, Vt.	25	22
" 30		M	F	L	2	"	Wm. D. Britton.	Minnie.	"	"	St. Albans, Vt.	25	22
" 31	Lynn E.	M		L	2	"	John Splaine.	Flavia E.	"	"	Keene.	36	29
										Northfield, Ms.	Northfield, Ms.		



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Jan. 1	Athol, Ms.	James Brown.	Keene.	31	W	Mechanic.	Springfield, [Ms.]	Patrick Brown. Ellen.	Ireland.		1st	Rev. E. F. Mar- tin.
"	"	Annie McCarty.	Athol, Ms.	25	"		Canton, Ms.	D. McCarty. Nora.	"		1st	[Bevoise.
"	Keene.	John M. Hovey.	Keene.	23	"	Druggist.	Swanzy.	F. A. Hovey. L. M. Matthews	Swanzy.		1st	Rev. G. H. De-
"	"	Alice Hutchinson.	"	22	"		Harrisville.	A. Hutchinson Mary B. Davis.	Harrisville.		1st	
"	"	Sidney J. Hall.	Brattleboro, Vt.	25	"	Laborer.	Westmorel'd	Cuba Hall. M. Bigelow.	Westmoreland, Jacksonville Vt.	Com. Trav'ler.	1st	Rev. W. H. Eaton
"	"	Mary Guerin.	Keene.	21	"		Lawrence, Ms	— Guerin.	Ireland.	Fanner.	1st	
"	"	Jonathan Jones.	"	71	"	Stone cutter.	Berlin, Ms.	Wm. Jones. S. Merriam.	Berlin, Ms.		3d	Rev. W. H. Eaton
"	"	C. A. Hammond.	"	57	"		New York.	— Randall.	Richmond.		2d	
Feb. 16	"	Frank Wheeler.	Nashua.	22	"	Carpenter.	New Boston.	H. Wheeler. Lavina.	Bradford. Hillsboro.		1st	[J. P. J. P. Wellman,
"	"	Effie White.	Whitman, Ms.	20	"		Chester, Vt.	Mason White. Addie.	Chester, Vt.	Mechanic.	1st	[Bevoise.
"	"	George W. Wilbur.	Keene.	19	"	Clerk.	Keene.	Wm. Wilbur. — Richardson	Surry. Lynn, Ms.		1st	Rev. G. H. De-
"	"	J. B. Whittaker.	"	16	"		Ashburnham, Vt.	Jane. B. Tierney.	Ireland.		1st	
"	"	John Tierney.	"	35	"	Laborer.	Proctorsville, Vt.	Margaret. C. Connelly.	"		1st	Rev. J. R. Power.
"	"	Mary Donovan.	"	37	"		Ireland.	J. Sullivan.	"	Pedlar.	2d	
"	"	Thomas Gogan.	Bellevs Falls Vt	23	"	Paper maker.	Ireland.	Thom. Gogan. Mary Boyd.	"		1st	Rev. D. J. Dunn.
"	"	Mary O'Connor.	Keene.	23	"		Ireland.	M. O'Connor. Mary Foley.	"		1st	

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Mar. 6	Walpole.	Frank G. Russell.	Keene.	21	W	Mail carrier.	Keene.	T. T. Russell.	Keene.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. Alden Allen
"	Harrisville.	Minnie A. Miller.	"	19	"	"	[N. Y. Stockholm,	Eliza A. John Miller.	"	"	1st	"
"	"	Geo. M. Towns.	"	24	"	Quarryman.	Keene.	John Towns.	"	"	1st	Rev. C. F. Goldsmith.
"	"	Harriet B. Smith.	Harrisville.	19	"	"	Marlboro.	Maria Davis.	Alstead.	Machinist.	1st	"
"	Keene.	F. M. Murdough.	Keene.	21	"	Teamster.	Hancock.	G. H. Smith.	Marlboro.	"	1st	Rev. C. E. Harrington.
"	"	G. A. Woodward.	"	16	"	"	Marlboro.	E. W. White.	Hillsboro.	Carpenter.	1st	"
Apr. 11	"	B. H. Whitehouse.	"	30	"	Cabinet maker	Lowell, Ms.	S. C. Murdough	Stoddard.	"	1st	Rev. G. H. DeBevoise.
"	"	Lena T. Starkey.	"	19	"	"	Keene.	J. W. Woodward	Troy.	Sawyer.	1st	"
"	"	Thomas B. Fish.	"	37	"	Mechanic.	Langdon.	G. Whitehouse.	Stoddard.	"	1st	"
"	"	Laura A. Wright.	Langdon.	41	"	"	Walpole.	S. Allen.	Swansey.	"	1st	Rev. W. H. Eaton
"	"	Wm. J. Malloy.	Keene.	27	"	Laborer.	Ireland.	E. C. Thompson	Langdon.	"	2d	"
"	"	A. M. Hutchinson.	"	28	"	"	Ireland.	N. M. Holmes.	"	"	1st	Rev. C. E. Harrington.
"	"	James Kenney.	"	21	"	Spinner.	Troy.	Lewis Adams.	Westminster Vt	"	1st	Rev. G. H. DeBevoise.
"	"	Annie Grogan.	"	22	"	"	Keene.	Hugh Bundy.	"	Trackman.	1st	"
"	"	J. F. Carrigan.	Alburgh, Vt.	27	"	Station Agt.	Windsor, Vt.	M. Morrison.	Ireland.	"	1st	Rev. H. Woodward.
"	"	Ina P. Lockwood.	Springfield, Vt.	23	"	"	Springfield Vt	James Kenney.	Boston, Ms.	"	1st	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Mary.	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	John Grogan.	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Wm. Carrigan.	Windsor, Vt.	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Margaret Tully.	Springfield, Vt.	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	B. Lockwood.	"	"	"	"

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May 15	Keene.	J. T. Nugent.	Keene.	27	W	Harness m'k'r	Boston, Ms.	J. Nugent.	Bangor, Me.		1st	Rev. J. R. Power.
"	"	Emma E. Jolly.	"	18	"		Keene.	Maria M. Joseph Jolly.	Ireland.		1st	
" 23	"	F. W. Leadley.	"	27	"	Moulder.	Windsor, N.S.	Rosella.	Champlain, N.Y.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. L. B. Bald.
"	"	E. A. Gates.	"	21	"		Dartmouth, N.S.	I. E. Leadley.	Dartmouth N.S.		1st	[win.]
" 25	Marlboro.	Ezekiel Pyne.	"	24	"	Mechanic.	Dartmouth, N.S.	Harriet Aiken.	Parisboro, N.S.	Painter.	1st	
"	"	Alice Larken.	Marlboro.	21	"		Annapolis, N.S.	Wm. J. Gates.	Dartmouth N.S.		1st	Rev. J. W. Bean.
June 6	Keene.	Oscar P. Applin.	Keene.	34	"	[finisher. Furniture]	Dublin, O.	E. A. Sharpe.	Halifax, N.S.		1st	
" 6	"	A. F. Livingston.	"	34	"	Box maker.	Westmoreland.	David Fyne.	Annapolis, N.S.		1st	Rev. J. W. Bean.
" 7	"	Henry M. Leland.	"	21	"		Sullivan.	Edw. Larken.	Dublin, O.		1st	
"	"	Minnie H. Tumey.	"	18	"	Mechanic.	New York.	Annie.	Swansey.		2d	Rev. C. E. Har.
"	"	Geo. H. Carpenter.	"	21	"		Keene.	Phil Applin.	Portland, Me.		1st	[rington.]
" 13	Marlboro.	Sarah Gatley.	"	23	"	Mason.	England.	D. Livingstone.	Westmoreland.		1st	Rev. W. E. Ben.
"	"	F. C. Shattuck.	"	27	"	Dentist.	Canada.	Sophia.	Sullivan.	Brick maker.	1st	Rev. J. R. Power.
"	"	Mary L. Jenna.	"	22	"		Keene.	L. M. Leland.	Roxbury.		1st	[sell.]
" 24	Gloucester	Ms Harry H. Colony.	"	24	"		Harrisville.	I. W. Tumey.	New York.	Teamster.	2d	Rev. B. G. Rus.
"	Gloucester	Ms Lucia M. Rogers.	Gloucester, Ms.	20	"		Gloucester	G. Carpenter.	Pittsfield, Ms.	Merchant.	1st	Rev. J. B. Green.
								Bridget.	Canada.			
								R. Gatley.				
								F. Shattuck.				
								M. Tatro.				
								R. Griffith.				
								Lizzie.				
								A. T. Colony.				
								F. Hawkins.				
								Allen Rogers.				
								Hattie.				

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June 25	Keene.	C. D. Robertson.	Keene.	24	W	Machinist.	Chesterfield.	N. Robertson.	Chesterfield.		1st	Rev. G. H. De- Bevoise.
"	"	Emoretta M. Taft.	"	39	"		Nelson.	Helen M. Cobb.	Saxtons Riv' Vt	Shoemaker.	1st	
"	"	Herman C. Rice.	"	22	"	Clerk.	Jaffrey.	Asa Taft.	"		1st	[nct]. Rev. W. E. Ben-
"	"	Lillie E. Heald.	"	19	"		Lempster.	Jonas C. Rice.	Jaffrey.	Ice dealer.	1st	
"	"	Walter L. Jones.	Fitchburg, Ms.	30	"	Hostler.	Bristol, Me.	N. N. Gilmore.	Lyndeborough.		1st	[rington]. Rev. C. E. Har-
"	"	Emma J. Smith.	"	32	"		Fitchburg Ms	Annie Dawson.	Bristol, Me.	Teamster.	2d	
"	"	W. F. Chamberlain.	Keene.	23	"	Painter.	Keene.	Cyrus Jones.	"		1st	[Bevoise]. Rev. G. H. De-
"	"	L. E. Chamberlain.	"	28	"		Marlboro.	Sarah J.	Barre, Mass.	Shoemaker.	2d	
July 3	"	Chas. A. Pond.	Keene.	28	"	Tinsmith.	Keene.	John Heslin.	Keene.		1st	[rington]. Rev. C. E. Har-
"	"	Grace H. Lyman.	East Swanzey.	22	"		East Swanzey	Albert E. Pond.	Hubbardst'n Ms	Mechanic.	1st	
"	"	W. Dickinson.	Swanzey Fact'y	27	"	Mechanic.	Swanzey.	Eliza A.	Swanzey.		1st	[rington]. Rev. C. E. Har-
"	"	Grace M. Taylor.	Keene.	18	"		Keene.	O. Dickinson.	"	Barber.	1st	
"	"	Julius A. Salter.	"	25	"	Engineer.	Westmor'land	E. H. Wilson.	Keene.		1st	[nct]. Rev. W. E. Ben-
"	"	Elfie M. Adams.	Rockingham Vt	23	"		Windham, Vt	Ransom Taylor.	"		1st	[nct]. Rev. W. E. Ben-
"	"	J. S. Milliken.	Montague, Ms.	36	"	Teamster.	Provincetown	A. A. Salter.	"		2d	
"	"	Ella Phillips.	Gill, Ms.	36	"		Deerfield, Ms.	Levina Cooledig'	"			
								John Adams.	"			
								M. A. Howard.	"			
								G. S. Milliken.	"			
								Anna.	"			
								Alexander Cobb	"			
								Hannah.	"			

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July 15	Bradford.	Henry S. Stevens.	Keene.	29	W	Photographer	S. Boston, Ms	H. R. Stevens.			1st	Rev. J. H. Gannett.
		Myra A. Perkins.	Bradford.	29	"		Newbury.	D. S. Perkins.			1st	
Aug. 10	Swansey.	Thos. W. Smith.	Keene.	22	"	Mechanic.	Waterloo.	S. M. Adams.	Jaffrey.		1st	ward. Rev. H. Wood.
		Cora M. Shepherd.	Plattsburg, NY	18	"			D. W. Smith.	"	Mechanic.	1st	
" 10	Keene.	Wm. A. Bell.	Winchester.	21	"		Putney, Vt.	E. H. Dickinson	Canada.		1st	
		A. F. Dickinson.	West Swansey.	20	"	Stone Mason.	W. Swansey.	G. Shepherd.	W Townsend Vt	Farmer.	1st	R. J. Holt, J. P.
" 14	Swansey.	W. S. Garfield.	Keene.	23	"	Book-keeper.	Troy.	Frank Bell.	Boston, Ms.		1st	ington. Rev. C. E. Har-
		M. Belle Wright.	Swansey Factory	21	"		"	M. F. Fairbanks.	Troy.		1st	
" 14	Keene.	Chas. H. Whittaker.	Gill, Mass.	24	"	Farmer.	Leyden, Ms.	A. L. Harvey.	Marboro.		1st	win. Rev. L. B. Bald-
		Eva F. Slate.	"	38	"		Gill, Ms.	C. B. Wright.	Fitzwilliam.	Farmer.	1st	
" 18	Westport.	Zacherey Person.	Keene.	25	"	Farmer.	Sweden.	R. D. Perham.	Gill, Ms.		1st	
		C. C. Bloom.	"	24	"		"	M. A. Delvey.	Sweden.		1st	Rev. M. T. Cilley
" 21	Keene.	H. E. Pitcher.	Keene.	22	"	Salesman.	Stoddard.	P. Swanton.	"		1st	nett. Rev. W. E. Ben-
		Hattie J. White.	"	21	"	Travelling	Keene.	Maria.	Stoddard.		1st	
" 30	"	Herbert L. Cook.	Walpole.	34	"	Teamster.	Chester, Vt.	C. P. Pitcher.	Hopkinton.	Mechanic.	1st	Nelson.
		Jennie E. Farr.	Brandon, Vt.	36	"		Brandon, Vt.	A. C. White.	Ashburnha' Ms		1st	Bevoise. Rev. G. H. De-
								F. E. Burgess.	Andover, Vt.		1st	
								Arnold Cook.	Lynn, Ms.	Mechanic.	2d	
								Eliza Farr.				
								C. E. Farr.				
								Hannah C.				

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Sept. 4	Keene.	John J. Beaver.	New York.	45	W	Salesman.	Switzerland.	J. J. Beaver.	Switzerland.		2d	Rev. W. E. Bennett.
" 16	"	Emma C. Rice.	Munson, Ms.	44	"	"	Munson, Ms.	Mary Callier.	Braintree, Ms.		1st	
" 17	"	Robert A. Ball.	Fitchburg, Ms.	34	"	Railroading.	Charlotte, Vt.	Daniel Ball.	Hinesburg, Vt.		2d	Rev. L. B. Baldwin.
" 17	"	Mary J. Powers.	Rutland, Vt.	35	"	"	Canada.	F. M. Holbrook.	Monkton, Vt.		2d	
" 22	Gilsum.	Edward H. Lord.	Keene.	23	"	Confectioner.	St. Albans, Me.	G. McKiver.	St. Albans, Me.		1st	[nett.] Rev. W. E. Bennett.
" 22	Gilsum.	Mary A. Murdick.	"	20	"	"	"	Mary Wyman.	"	Confectioner.	1st	
" 22	Gilsum.	Auguste Bullon.	Gilsum.	27	"	Weaver.	Belocil, Ca.	O. P. Murdick.	Belocil, Ca.		1st	Rev. G. Monge.
" 22	Gilsum.	Selina Langlois.	"	19	"	"	Gilsum.	Joseph Bullon.	Longmil, Ca.	Farmer.	1st	
Oct. 1	Keene.	John Keane.	Peabody, Ms.	26	"	Mechanic.	Ireland.	E. Trudeau.	Tarnache, Ca.		1st	
" 5	Northfield Ms	Annie Hodnett.	Keene.	26	"	"	"	Jane Dube.	Williston, Vt.		1st	Rev. D. J. Dunn.
" 5	Keene.	Chas. H. Joslin.	"	29	"	Hostler.	Millbury.	Patrick Keane.	Ireland.	Mechanic.	1st	
" 5	Keene.	Cora E. Lewis.	"	17	"	"	Winchester.	E. Horagan.	"		1st	Rev. S. R. Free.
" 5	Keene.	Herman A. King.	"	22	"	Hostler.	Newbury, Vt.	B. Sullivan.	Winchester.		1st	[nett.] Rev. W. E. Bennett.
" 12	"	Ella Harlow.	"	29	"	"	Charlestown.	I. Carpenter.	Stafford, Vt.		1st	
" 12	"	Lucius E. Parker.	"	21	"	Fireman.	Sullivan.	Harriet Dean.	Bethel.	Mechanic.	1st	[Bevoise.] Rev. G. H. De-
" 12	"	Mabel G. Ball.	Marlboro.	15	"	"	Marlboro.	Jehiel Harlow.	Charlestown.		1st	
" 12	"	Lucius E. Parker.	"	21	"	Fireman.	Sullivan.	Jane.	Nelson.		1st	[Bevoise.] Rev. G. H. De-
" 12	"	Mabel G. Ball.	Marlboro.	15	"	"	Marlboro.	Roselia Pond.	Roxbury, Ms.	Painter.	1st	
" 12	"	Mabel G. Ball.	Marlboro.	15	"	"	Marlboro.	F. O. Ball.	Sterling, Ms.		1st	
" 12	"	Mabel G. Ball.	Marlboro.	15	"	"	Marlboro.	G. Tufts.	Chester, Vt.		1st	

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Oct. 26	Greenfield Ms	A. W. Chapman.	Keene.	33	W	Cabinet maker	Medford, Ms.	Mary E. — Daniels.	[Highlands, Boston		1st	Rev. N. N. Glazier
"	"	Sylvia E. Daniels.	Deerfield, Ms.	23	"		Guilford, Vt.		E. Deerfield Ms		1st	
" 30	Keene.	Will H. Cross.	Keene.	28	"	Box maker.	Fisherville Ct	J. W. Cross, Jr.	Boxboro, Ms.		1st	Rev. L. B. Bald-
		Soph'nia E. Grimes	"	26	"		Keene.	H. Prentiss.	Fisherville, Ct.		1st	
			"					A. H. Grimes.	Keene.			
Nov. 6	Greenfield Ms	Michael J. Carey.	"	31	"	Pall turner.	Fitchburg Ms	F. E. Briggs.	"		1st	Rev. M. E. Purcell.
		K. E. Donovan.	Greenfield, Ms.	33	"		Greenfield Ms	Cornelius Carey	Ireland.		1st	
" 10	Keene.	J. F. McGrath.	Keene.	25	"	Tailor.	Ireland.	Bridget Shay.	"		1st	
		Mary E. Finan.	"	21	"		Keene.	J. Donovan.	"		1st	
" 12	"	Ellery E. Rugg.	"	48	"	Engineer.	Sullivan.	T. McGrath.	"		1st	Rev. J. R. Power.
		Ella F. Foster.	"	33	"		Keene.	Mary Collins.	"		1st	
" 18	"	A. W. Smith.	"	27	"	Mechanic.	Francistown.	T. Finan.	"		1st	
		Jennie L. Hall.	Lyndeborough.	20	"		Lyndeboro'.	Ellen Sweeney.	"		1st	
" 21	Lawrence, Ms	Albert M. Isham.	Keene.	22	"	Engineer.	Gilsun.	H. Rugg.	Alstead.		1st	Rev. C. E. Har-
		Minnie D. York.	Lawrence, Ms.	24	"		Lawrence, Ms	S. Beaverstock.	Stoddard.		1st	
" 28	Keene.	Edwin J. Harris.	Keene.	28	"	Box maker.	Swanzey.	Hosea Foster.	Worcester, Ms.		1st	Rev. W. E. Ben-
		Jessie Eastman.	Swanzey.	23	"		"	Mary G. Rice.	Mt. Vernon.		1st	
								James Smith.	Brandon, Vt.		1st	
								C. Caswell.	"		1st	
								— Hall.	"		1st	
								J. B. Isham.	Gilsun.		1st	Rev. W. E. Wal-
								A. M. Temple.	Alstead.		1st	
								— Dean.	England.		1st	
								D. W. Harris.	Richmond.		1st	Rev. C. E. Har-
								Mary Cass.	"		1st	
								G. W. Eastman	Keene.		1st	
								E. J. Tufts.			1st	

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Nov. 27	Westmorland	Chas. H. Kingsbury	Keene.	29	W	Farmer.	Keene.	H. Kingsbury. L. B. Hastings.	Keene. Sullivan.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. J. Clafin.
		Addie M. Mason.	Sullivan.	25	"	"	Maine.	Ellen.	"	"	1st	"
Dec. 2	Keene.	Wm. A. Hart.	Keene.	23	"	Machinist.	Lynn, Ms.	John Hart. M. Wakefield.	On ship. Ireland.	"	1st	Rev. C. E. Har-
		Alice M. Ross.	"	23	"	"	Westboro, Ms	Harriet Ross.	— Vt.	"	1st	"
" 3	"	GF Chamberlain, 2d	"	29	"	Laborer.	Nashua.	GF Chamberlain	Walpole.	"	2d	J. G. Perry, J. P.
		Jennie D. Kenney.	Surry.	16	"	"	"	R. Kenney. Elizabeth.	"	Farmer.	1st	"
" 9	"	A. S. Whitney.	Keene.	20	"	Pail turner.	Winchendon,	R. F. Whitney. H. A. Demerry.	Rindge.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. G. H. De-
		Emma F. Dodge.	"	21	"	"	"	Wm. Dodge. Maria.	"	"	1st	"
" 17	"	Frank R. Jones.	"	31	"	Salesman.	Middlesex Vt.	L. D. Jones. L. Daniels.	Middlesex, Vt.	"	1st	Rev. W. E. Ben-
		Nellie A. Smith.	"	19	"	"	Sullivan.	Lewis Smith.	"	Farmer.	1st	[nett.]
" 24	"	Fred E. Bartlett.	"	25	"	Shoemaker.	Vernon, Vt.	F. F. Bartlett. L. Leach.	Guilford, Vt. W. Swanzey.	Teamster.	1st	Rev. G. H. De-
		Mary E. Roche.	"	19	"	"	Keene.	M. Roche.	Chicopee, Ms.	"	1st	"
" 25	"	Orman L. Crown.	"	33	"	Mechanic.	"	A. J. Crown. A. Phelps.	— Vt.	"	2d	Rev. W. E. Ben-
		Nettie L. Lincoln.	"	22	"	"	Swanzey.	H. L. Lincoln. E. M. Cheney.	Peru, Vt. Chesterfield.	Mechanic.	1st	[Collector.]
" 25	"	Fred E. Bowen.	"	24	"	Chair maker.	Richmond.	E. A. Bowen. Ella L.	Richmond.	"	1st	Rev. S. H. Mc-
		Alice J. Adams.	Troy.	22	"	"	Sanford, Me.	G. A. Adams. — Cutler.	"	Salesman.	1st	"

\* Whether single or widowed. What marriage — whether 1st, 2d, etc.

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Mar. 21	Cambridge, [Ms.]	Chas. H. Douglas. T. G. Abercrombie.	Keene. Cambridge, Ms.	28	W	Teacher.	New York. Alabama. [Ms.] W Springfield	S. J. Douglas. Anna S. M Abercrombie Sarah G. B. F. Seavery. Fannie E. Cyrus. Ursinee.		Teacher.	1st 1st 1st 2d	Rev. A. McKenzie 1st Rev. J. W. Adams
Jan. 29	Keene.	Geo. L. Seavery. Julia E. Willard.	Springfield, Ms. "	26 32	" " "		Anchor, Ill.					

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		Years.	Months.		Days.	Male.	Female.		Color.	S. M., W.*		
Jan.	2 Katie E. Tonghey.	12	6	2	Keene, Vt.	M	F	Wheelwright.	Ireland.	Ireland.	Patrick Tonghey.	Anna.
"	5 John S. Steele.	78	1	2	Putney, Vt.	M	F		Lunenburg, Ms	Westminster Vt	John Steele.	Hannah.
"	6 Evaline Rowell.	59	1	8	Whitestown N Y.	M	F		Putney, Vt.	Webster, Ms.	James Dodge.	R. Bundy
"	20 Merrill E. Cobb.	69	11	12	Keene.	M	F		Canada.	Canada.	E. L. Cobb.	Julia.
"	24 Mary B. Simmons.	65	4	10	Northfield, Ms.	M	F		Marlboro.	Boston, Ms.	Joseph Braley.	Mary Watson.
"	25 Eddie Sadoques.	51	7	12	"	M	F		Wethersfield Vt	Keene.	Israel Sadoques.	C. Vose.
"	28 Ellen W. Morrison.	51	10	17	"	M	F		Brattleboro, Vt.	Brattleboro, Vt.	Henry L. Terry.	G. M. Stiles.
Feb.	5 Charles C. Ellis.	66	10	17	Brattleboro, Vt.	M	F		Stoddard.	Winchendon Ms	Alfred Ellis.	Elizabeth N.
"	14 Julia A. Rand.	76	5	5	Stoddard.	M	F		Warwick, Ms.	Winchester, Ms.	Sumner Knight.	F. E. Whitney.
"	18 Charles S. Knight.	63	5	24	Warwick, Ms.	M	F				James Kelton.	A. Atherton.
"	18 Amy Kelton.	61	9	5		M	F				Zadock Taft.	Sarah Black.
"	18 Lucius Taft.	79	11	12	Barre, Ms.	M	F		Mt. Holly, Vt.	Goffstown.	Jonah Holden.	Sarah.
"	19 Ethan W. Holden.	57	11	12	Ludlow, Vt.	M	F		Westmoreland.	Hinsdale.	Jonas Hadley.	Alice Ordway.
"	24 Wm. H. Hadley.	71	20	12	Keene.	M	F		Keene.	Keene.	A. B. Skinner.	S. C. Wellman.
"	25 Alice B. Skinner.	20	8	17	"	M	F				A. W. Quinn.	Grace M. Russell
"	27 Mamie I. Quinn.	20	8	17	"	M	F				Simon Cook.	Rachel Barrus.
Mar.	1 George Cook.	71	6	1	Swansey.	M	F	Retired.	Stoddard.	Winchendon Ms	Simon Cook.	F. E. Whitney.
"	1 Florence S. Knight.	25	1	4	Stoddard.	M	F		Surry.	Alstead.	Sumner Knight.	
"	6 Sarah C. Raymond.	45	5	25	Alstead.	M	F	Housekeeper.	Sullivan.	Gilsum.	E. Hubbard.	Nancy M.
"	11 Henry E. Hubbard.	53	25	5	Sullivan.	M	F	Brickmason.	New Bedford Ms	Peru, N. Y.	J. R. Smith.	E. H. Calkin.
"	13 Phoebe L. Santoft.	28	3	13	Peru, N. Y.	M	F	Housekeeper.	Westmoreland.	Walpole.	N. Britton.	Sally Prentiss.
"	15 Chander Britton.	62	3	13	Westmoreland.	M	F	Farmer.	Shrewsbury Eng	England.	James Hartley.	Sarah.
"	19 Joseph Hartley.	56	11	15	London, Eng.	M	F	Pottery moulder	Francistown.	Dublin.	Mark True.	L. Fiske.
"	21 Abbott F. True.	36	11	18	"	M	F	Mechanic.			— Carpenter.	
"	21 Sarah T. Russell.	70	7	12	Surry.	M	F	Housewife.	Weston, Ms.	Walpole.	David Stone.	A. Willey.
"	25 Theodocia Darling.	75	3	15	Keene.	F	F		Keene.	Keene.	Herbert Barker.	F. Fellows.
"	26 Bessie Barker.	82	8	15	Concord.	F	F		"	"	Arculus Ellis.	Polly.
"	20 Amanda H. Baker.	82	10	15	Keene.	F	F			Scotland.	Frank W. Nims.	Fannie.
Apr.	6 Wilder Nims.	1	10		Keene.	M	S					

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		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male.	Female.	Color.	S., M., W.*		Father.	Mother.		
Apr.	6 Mary White.	1	5	14		F	W	S	Ireland.	Ireland.	John White.	Delia.		
"	8 Agnes Finan.	10	7	21	M	F	"	S	Chesterfield.	"	Thos. Finan.	E. Sweeney.		
"	8 Carl A. Harvey.		5	2	M	F	"	S	Keene.	Mt. Vernon.	H. M. Harvey.	M. R. Gray.		
"	9 Laurence H. Keyes.		14	9	M	F	"	S	Canada.	W. Riv June Vt	H. W. Keyes.	H. M. Humphrey		
"	14 Mary Bonnette.	60	3	14	M	F	"	W	Canada.	Canada.	Asa Bonnette.	Mary Rousen.		
"	16 Alice Carr.		3	1	M	F	"	W	Ireland.	Ireland.	W. McCormick.	Elizabeth.		
"	17 Ruth M. Jones.	46	4	20	M	F	"	M	Charlestown.	Ms Charlestown.	E. M. West.	Mary.		
"	18 C. B. Heastis.	87	9	13	M	F	"	W	England.	England.	Dr. Baxter.			
"	18 Edward A. Webb.	78	3	12	M	F	"	S	Canada.	Canada.	Josiah Nichols.	C. Whittier.		
"	18 Wm. C. Nichols.	73	11	3	M	F	"	S	Walpole.	Canada.	Fred Croto.	Alice.		
"	23 Delvina Croto.	16	11	19	M	F	"	S	Keene.	Canada.	N. J. Whitney.	Mary J. Reding.		
"	25 Nellie M. Gay.	31	1	29	M	F	"	S	"	Keene.	Thos. Gorman.	Kate.		
"	27		11	4	M	F	"	S	Boscawen.	Boscawen.	Eli Bergeron.	Mary.		
"	28 Addie Bergeron.		11	29	M	F	"	S	Ireland.	Ireland.	Chas. Wright.	Betsy.		
May	2 Julia A. Darling.	40	2	1	M	F	"	W	Guilford, Vt	Ireland.	Mark Kelley.	Laura.		
"	6 Wm. Eastman.	77	5	1	M	F	"	S	Canada.	Brattleboro, Vt.	H. Houghton.	M. A. Esterbrook		
"	11 Jane L. Dawson.	86	7	4	M	F	"	S	"	Canada.	S. Labell.	Mary.		
"	12 Benj. T. Kelley.	69	8	27	M	F	"	S	Putney, Vt.	Putney, Vt.	Eli Bergeron.	M. Bennett.		
"	12 Ella S. Foster.	42	4	24	M	F	"	S	Raynham.	Raynham.	J. Shelly.	Molly.		
"	14 Alice M. Labell.	4	4	8	M	F	"	S	Rindge.	Reading, Vt.	C. H. Cutler.	E. A.		
"	16 Ernest Bergeron.	73	3	6	M	F	"	S	Peabody, Ms.	N. Salem, Ms.	W. J. McConnell.	Elizabeth.		
"	18 Amos Ross.	83	11	27	M	F	"	S	Sheffield.	Ireland.	Benj. Clasby.	Annie.		
"	18 Richard Blake.	73	11	26	M	F	"	S	Hinsdale.	Lodi, Wis.	Fred Elmore.	Mergreat.		
"	21 Oren Shelly.	92	18	26	M	F	"	S	Ireland.	Ireland.	Fred Elmore.	Emily.		
"	25 Alice M. Cutler.	18	11	9	M	F	"	S						
"	27 Chas. W. Shaw.	23	9	9	M	F	"	S						
"	31 L. J. McConnell.	15	4	4	M	F	"	S						
"	31 Geo. K. Clasby.	59	4	4	M	F	"	S						
June	2 Lena M. Elmore.	70			M	F	"	S						
"	26 Honora Leahy.				M	F	"	S						

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		Years.	Months.	Days.				Male.	Female.	Color.		Father.	Mother.		
June 27	Ellen Carroll.	76			Ireland.			M	F	W	Prof. of Music.	Ireland.	Ireland.	J. Cronan.	E. McSweeney.
" 27	Geo. W. Foster.	55	10	16	Sullivan.			M	F	M		Sullivan.	Winooski, Vt.	Stephen Foster.	N. Briggs.
" 30	Hattie Bushey.	10	10		Coldring, Ms.			F	F	"		Canada.		Chas. Bushey.	M. Greenwood.
July 30	Esther Calef.	81	4	20	Grafton, Vt.			F	F	"		Sweden.		Robert Converse.	Mary.
" 12	Arthur Swinson.	89	10	20	Keene.			M	F	"	Mechanic.	Keene.	Sweden.	John Swinson.	S. Newton.
" 12	Jehiel Willson.	30	5	13	Brattleboro, Vt.			M	F	"	R. R. man.	Keene.	Putney, Vt.	Wm. Willson.	Cordelia D.
" 13	Chas. W. Pierce.	30	5		Keene.			M	F	"		Ireland.	Williamsburg, Vt.	J. W. Pierce.	Ellen.
" 15	John Carroll.	80			Ireland.			M	F	"	Laborer.	"	"	J. Carroll.	Kane.
" 23	Timothy Lynch.	48			"			M	F	"		"	"	P. O'Connor.	Mary.
" 27	Timothy O'Connor.	82			Keene.			M	F	"		"	"	I. Calahan.	M. Lines.
" 28	Cora Corey.		4	7	"			M	F	"		Fitzwilliam.	Swanzy.	J. H. Barrus.	M. A. Wheelock.
Aug. 28	J. W. Harnett.	1	17		" [Falls, Ms.			M	F	"		Canada.	Canada.	James Corey.	S. Bergeron.
" 4	Geo. R. Shelley.	1	17		Newton Upper			M	F	"		Keene.	Northfield, Ms.	James Hartnett.	Maria.
" 4	J. J. Conway.	5	5		Keene.			M	F	"		"	Swanzy.	F. E. Shelley.	E. S. Hunt.
" 9	Ephraim Foster.	86	7	17	Sullivan.			M	F	"	Mechanic.	Ireland.	Ireland.	John Conway.	Julia.
" 9	Horace Hamblett.	72	7		Swanzy.			M	F	"	Farmer.	Lunenburg, Ms	Shirley.	Stephen Foster.	Lydia Nichols.
" 10	Eugene G. Ellis.	72	7		Keene.			M	F	"		Keene.	Keene.	B. Hamblett.	Lucy.
" 14	B. E. Sebastian.	9	9		"			M	F	"	Housewife.	Swanzy.	Swanzy.	S. C. Ellis.	Ella M.
" 15	Mary Y. Woods.	70	10	15	Harrisville.			F	F	"		Fitzwilliam.	Fitzwilliam.	E. P. Sebastian.	Idella W.
" 20	Lucy W. Eveleth.	89	10	6	Fitzwilliam.			F	F	"		Ireland.	Ireland.	Wm. Yardley.	L. Bigelow.
" 20	Michael Quinn.	53	4	20	Ireland.			M	F	"	Mechanic.	Townsend, Ms.	New Ipswich.	J. F. Verder.	S. J. Smith.
" 24	Mary C. Stevens.	60	4		Peterboro.			M	F	"	Housekeeper.	Marlboro.		Thos. Temple.	J. Banks.
" 25	Mary A. Temple.	80	4	1	Keene.			M	F	"		Canada.	Sunderland, Ms.	Joseph Neddo.	Malinda.
" 28	Edwin H. Clark.	69	10	4	Keene.			M	F	"	Mechanic.	Sunderland Ms.	Canada.	E. Clark.	S. Belliveau.
" 29	Eliza M. Libby.	26	5	9	Marlboro.			M	F	"	Turner.	Ireland.	Ireland.	Lewis Libby.	Catharine.
Sept. 4	Dennis Leahy.	48	10		Keene.			M	F	"	Housekeeper.	Templeton, Ms.	Winchendon Ms	John Leahy.	A. Edmonds.
" 9	Addie W. Piper.				Templeton, Ms.			M	F	"				B. L. Withington	

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Sept.	10 Wm. E. Cram.	24	2	16	Marlow.	M		W	Fireman.	Stoddard.	Acworth.	A. C. Cram.	H. E. Graves.	
"	12 T. H. Flint.	89	10	13	Stoddard.	M		"	Carpenter.	Walpole.	Bangor, Me.	Daniel Flint.	E. Hunt.	
"	13 H. J. Watkins.	7	10	7	Walpole.	M		"		Canada.	Canada.	A. M. Watkins.	N. M. Terry.	
"	14 Emilie M. Emond.	4	29	15	Canada.		F	"		Champlain, NY	"	E. Emond.	E. Duval.	
"	15 Malinda Nedd.	29	1	3	Asburnham, Ms	M	F	"		Canada.	Winchendon.	Joseph Jolly.	Mary Butler.	
"	16 E. A. Bouvier.	65	7	7	Keene.	M		"	Mechanic.	Winchendon.	Winchendon.	P. Bouvier.	B. E. Jones.	
"	17 Milton M. Parks.	71	2	2	Wales, Eng.	M	F	"	M Housekeeper.	Scotland.	Scotland.	James Frame.	Mary Kennedy.	
"	18 Margaret Rahn.	71	2	2	Marlboro.	M		"		Canada.	Canada.	J. Guyotte.	Calista Cota.	
"	19 Frank Guyotte.	52	8	10	Ireland.	M	F	"	Laborer.	Ireland.	Ireland.	Edw. Hynes.	Catharine.	
"	20 Bessie O. Gerould.	5	5	5	Keene.	M		"	Shoemaker.	Charlestown Ms	Richmond.	E. R. Gerould.	I. L. Starkey.	
"	27 John Gouthier.	59	7	10	Canada.	M		"	Farmer.	Canada.	Canada.	S. Gouthier.	Mary.	
Oct.	3 Eugene S. Ellis.	79	1	18	Concord, Vt.	M		"		Antrim.	Lawrence, Ms.	Geo. M. Hart.	Polly.	
"	4 F. E. Hart.	1	10	8	Keene.	M	F	"		Sullivan.	Brighton, Ms.	Crosby Mason.	Anna Sharron.	
"	5 Mary E. Mason.	35	11	8	Sullivan.	M		"	Laborer.	Sullivan.	Westmoreland.	Lyman Fisher.	E. F. Carter.	
"	6 O. L. Fisher.	71	1	1	Hinsdale.	M	F	"		Surry.	Westmoreland.	A. F. Foster.	Electa H.	
"	6 Edith E. Foster.	71	1	1	Keene.	M	F	"		Chesterfield.	Highgate, Vt.	Arad Stoddard.	Polly Davis.	
"	8 Sarah O. Starkey.	7	5	4	Chesterfield.	M		"		Highgate, Vt.	Highgate, Vt.	Frank Castro.	Bertha.	
"	8 Earliest Castro.	7	5	4	Highgate, Vt.	M		"		Gilsum.	Sullivan.	L. H. Gullow.	Ella R.	
"	11 C. W. Merrifield.	11	6	7	Gilsum.	M		"		Oakham, Ms.	Rutland, Ms.	D. L. Merrifield.	Jennie.	
"	12 Mary J. Bowen.	11	10	23	Stoddard.	M	F	"	Broker.	Canada.	Canada.	H. Bowen.	Sarah Fish.	
"	13 Chas. L. Hadley.	44	1	15	Keene.	M		"		Cavendish, Vt.	Wethersfield Vt	Wm. H. Hadley.	N. S. Spofford.	
"	13 Philip Auger.	6	2	20	Wethersfield, Vt.	M		"		Canada.	Canada.	Colbert Auger.	A. Bergeron.	
"	13 Albert Harkness.	5	4	4	Keene.	M		"		Richmond.	Boston, Ms.	A. L. Harkness.	M. E. Edwards.	
"	13 A. R. Craig.	9	2	2	"	M		"		Keene.	Keene.	E. M. Craig.	A. B. Ryan.	
"	23 Mabel Harkness.	5	9	2	"	M		"		Richmond.	Boston, Ms.	A. L. Harkness.	M. E. Edwards.	
"	25 L. W. Pollard.	4	3	3	Richmond.	M	F	"		Bridgewater Vt.	Gilsum.	W. S. Pollard.	Martha E.	
"	30 H. E. Fisher.	4	11	21	Marlow.	M		"		Winchester.	New Haven, Ct.	O. L. Fisher.	Sarah J.	
"	31 C. A. Southwell.	1	7	9	Keene.	M		"		England.	Nelson.	J. Southwell.	M. J. Atwood.	

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Nov.	3 S. M. Colony.	50	3	20	Walpole.	M	F	W	Lady. Housekeeper.	Walpole.	Watertown, Ms.	J. Kittridge.	M. B. Stone.
"	3 F. E. Buckminster.	36	5	14	Walpole.	M	F	"	"	"	"	Edw. Colton.	Eliza.
"	3 Harriett Haynes.	73	11	13	Keene.	M	F	"	Farmer.	Rindge, Ms.	"	U. Mosher.	Clarissa.
"	5 Liberty Page.	84	7	3	Halifax, N. S.	M	F	"	"	Alton, Ms.	"	Daniel Fowler.	— Towns.
"	6 Mary Partridge.	80	11	13	Keene.	M	F	"	"	Alton, Ms.	"	Ephraim Page.	M. Burke.
"	6 C. N. Tottingham.	61	1	26	Walpole.	M	F	"	Manufacturer.	Ashburnh'm Ms	Westminster Vt	Joseph Jones.	Lucy.
"	6 J. N. Deane.	59	2	16	Ireland.	M	F	"	"	Ireland.	Whitingham Vt	John Hanley.	Jonny.
"	10 Gertrude Harkness.	44	2	13	Keene.	M	F	"	"	Richmond.	Boston, Ms.	A. L. Harkness.	M. E. Edwards.
"	11 Eliza Mosher.	29	6	13	Nova Scotia.	M	F	"	"	Nova Scotia.	"	Ingerson Reed.	Fannie.
"	11 Annie L. Pollard.	22	7	18	Marlow.	M	F	"	"	Bridgewater, Vt	Gilsun.	W. S. Pollard.	Maria E.
"	15 Samuel McCurdy.	91	2	11	Surry.	M	F	"	Farmer.	Ireland.	Alstead.	J. McCurdy.	Sarah Watts.
"	21 J. K. Frame.	29	19	19	Harrisville.	M	F	"	Brakeman.	"	Derry, Ms.	J. K. Frame.	J. L. Wood.
"	25 Fred E. Pierce.	25	5	22	Keene.	M	F	"	Engineer.	Keene.	Williams Vt	F. A. Faulkner.	E. J. Manning.
"	30 Bertha E. Bowen.	22	8	20	"	M	F	"	"	Westmoreland.	Keene.	J. W. Pierce.	C. D.
Dec.	3 C. R. Manning.	41	3	3	Richmond.	M	F	"	Architect.	Richmond.	Richmond.	A. W. Hunnewell.	Lizzie M.
"	3 Edith Harkness.	2	2	2	Mt. Vernon.	M	F	"	"	Richmond.	"	F. A. Bowen.	Ellen M.
"	7 Willie Longever.	68	10	22	Keene.	M	F	"	"	Richmond.	"	E. R. Manning.	Julia A.
"	16 F. A. Webster.	84	4	17	Surry.	M	F	"	"	Lyme.	Boston, Ms.	A. L. Harkness.	M. E. Edwards.
"	18 Annie E. Gates.	61	5	10	Chesterfield.	M	F	"	"	Walpole.	Lyme.	I. Longever.	Ellen.
"	20 Lucy C. Munsell.	84	6	17	Keene.	M	F	"	"	Amherst, Ms.	New York.	F. P. Webster.	Augusta J.
"	23 Mary B. Gurler.	55	7	16	Winchester.	M	F	"	"	St Johnsbury Vt	Walpole.	P. Handerson.	H. Mead.
"	27 C. A. Mowell.	71	9	3	Kingfield, Me.	M	F	"	"	Lishon, Me.	Lishon, Me.	H. G. Gates.	Estella R.
"	28 Ray M. Willson.	33	4	19	Red Hook, N. Y.	M	F	"	"	Red Hook, NY	Red Hook, NY.	R. Blethen.	Ruth C.
"	29 Luman Weeks.	71	9	3	Grafton, Vt.	M	F	"	"	Bennington.	Bennington.	Wm. Waldorf.	A. M. Martin.
"	31 Grover C. Frame.	71	9	3	Peru, N. Y.	M	F	"	"	Harrisville.	Harrisville.	David Weeks.	Nellie Page.
"					Harrisville.	M	F	"	"		Dublin.	J. K. Frame.	Lydia.
"						M	F	"	"				R. Burpee.

\* Single, married or widowed.



I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. P. WELLMAN,  
*City Clerk.*













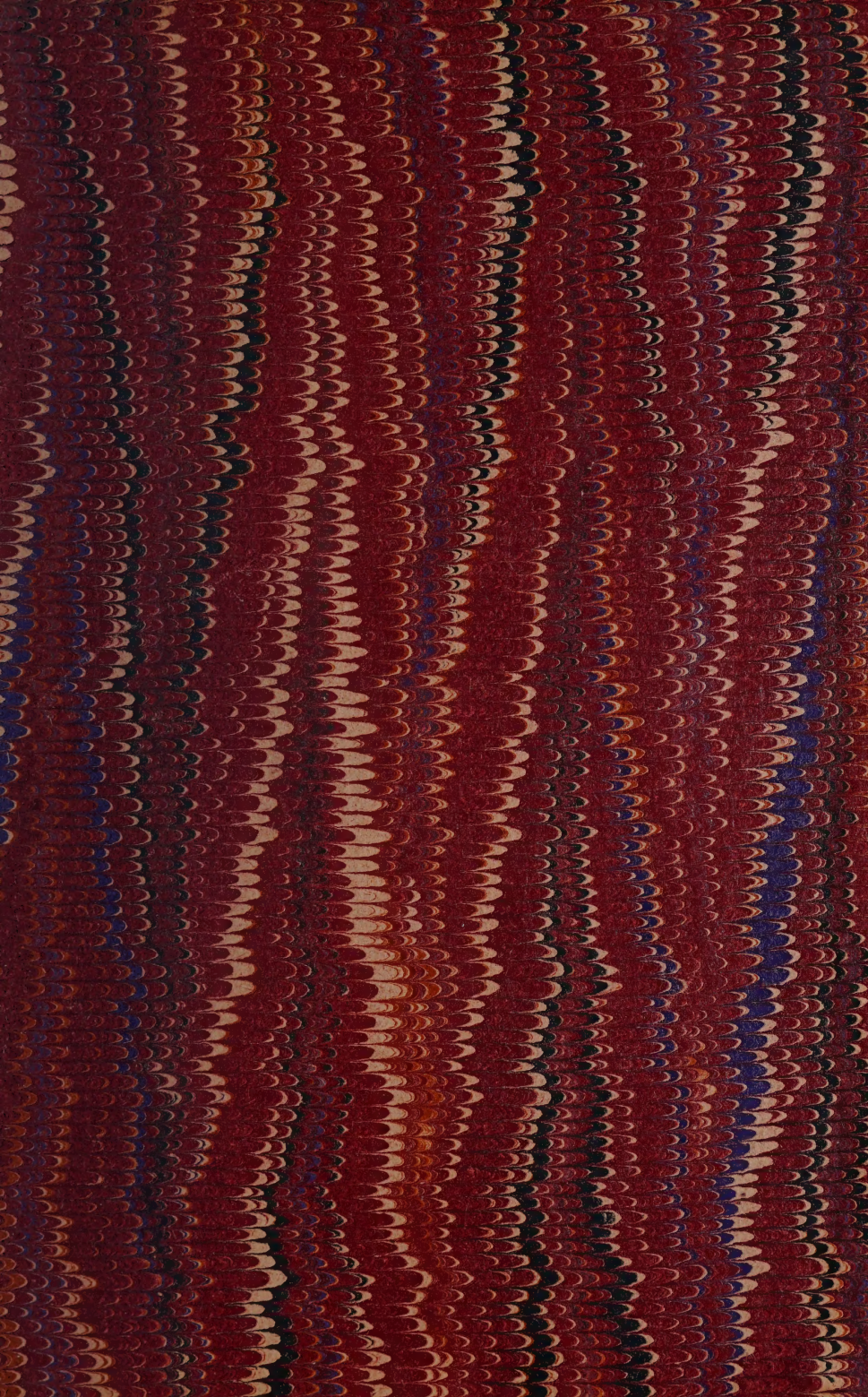














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